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VOTE CAST IS GOING TO BREAK ALL RECORDS.

SHOWER OF BALLOTS

Is Falling Like Profuse Rain the Country Over.

Four Federal Officials Placed

Were Under Arrest in New York for Illegal Attempt at Suffrage--Dick Claims Ohio by 100,000--Election News of Country Over.

New York, Nov. 8.—Throughout the entire east, ideal weather prevails today. From Maine down the coast line and back into the interior it is sunny and crisp and as a result an extremely heavy vote is being polled.

This is particularly true in the rural districts, where a long spell of dry weather has put the roads in excellent condition and enabled the voters to reach the polls with ease. In fact up to noon today, reports indicate that the good weather extends over the entire country and leads the experts at headquarters to predict that the vote cast will be the heaviest in many elections. In New York state the weather conditions and the earnest efforts of both parties to get the voters out early are having a decided effect and from many places up state it was reported that a third of the vote had been cast by nine o'clock. An unusually heavy vote was reported in every city and town heard from during the morning. Workers for the republicans and democrats were active in getting out the vote but no trouble was reported and little was anticipated.

In this city perfect weather brought on a large early vote and the voting continued heavy during the morning. At Tammany Hall it was estimated that the vote in the city during the morning was being cast at the rate of 100,000 an hour. Although a number of arrests were made on charges of illegal registration and a fight occurred in one polling place the morning voting in general in Greater New York was quietly done.

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Employers From Washington Arrested for Illegal Voting.

The board of elections was informed during the forenoon that in one of the election districts of the nineteenth assembly district, where more than seven hundred negroes are registered, the ballots were being handled so slowly that unless more speed was shown, many would not have a chance to cast their ballots. Word was at once sent to the inspectors in the district, all of whom are colored men, that unless matters were expedited, they would be removed.

Reports of clashes between would be voters, the police and election officers came from many election districts but up to noon no trouble of particularly serious nature had occurred. As the day proceeded arrests for alleged illegal voting became more frequent than during the early hours and at some of the station houses, warrants came in faster than they could be served. A heavy vote was reported in Kings county, (Brooklyn) and it was estimated that 65 per cent of the total vote had been cast at 10:30 a. m. Up to that hour about 100 arrests had been made for alleged illegal registration. Four of those arrested were federal employes in the treasury department at Washington. They were taken to court, but were later discharg after making satisfactory explanations and were permitted to vote.

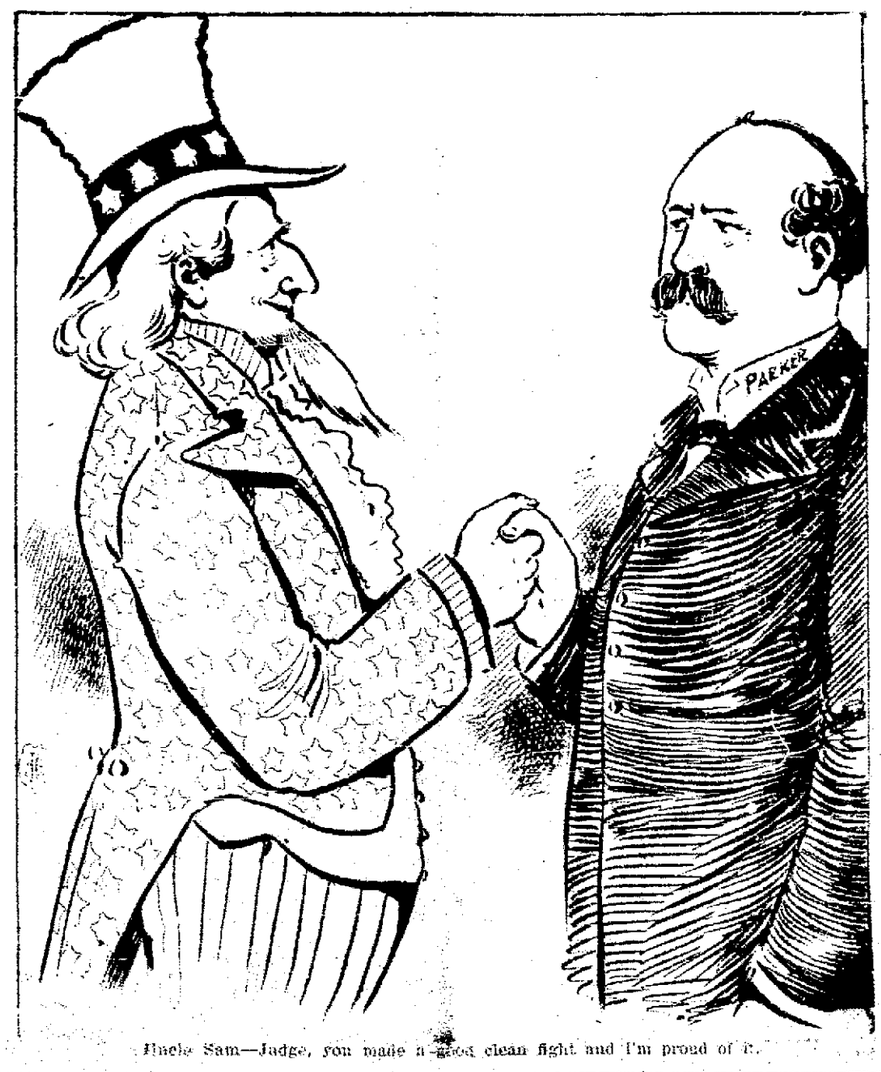
The New York Story.

New York, Nov. 8.—Almost perfect weather conditions prevailed in the Greater New York and early indications pointed to a heavy vote in today's election. From the moment the polls opened at 6 o'clock, the booths in many election districts were filled and lines of men stood awaiting their turn to deposit a ballot. While perfect order prevailed in most sections of the city, trouble began in some quarters almost at the start and arrests for alleged illegal voting began almost simultaneously with the opening of the polls. In some cases the arrests were accompanied by disorderly demonstrations and at least two persons, a policeman and a citizen, were injured before voting had been in progress twenty minutes.

The first surprise of the day was sprung by state superintendent of Elections Morgan, when he distributed nearly three thousand deputies representing his office through the election districts of the greater city. It had been expected that 800 deputies that the superintendent of elections is authorized to appoint would be re-inforced today by about two hundred men, including a large number of secret service agents whose whole attention would be directed toward the holders of alleged illegal naturalization papers. It developed today, however, that Mr. Morgan had found that under a section of the metropolitan election district law, the state superintendent or any of his deputies is empowered to call on any person to assist him in the performance of his duty. This law raised practically all restrictions regarding appointment of deputies and two thousand additional were sworn. The men selected for this work are volunteers and they went on duty at the opening of the polls to remain until the votes are counted.

In the districts in the lower part of the city, the early morning balloting was very heavy. Nearly one-third of the normal vote had been cast during the first two hours and the leaders predicted a record vote before the polls close at 5 o'clock. Further uptown the early hours passed quietly, but the voters began to turn out in good volume during the forenoon. Magistrates were sitting in all sections of the city to give an immediate hearing to men arrested on the charges of illegal voting, and the prisoners were arraigned as soon as they reached the station houses. Many of them were successful in proving their right to cast their ballot and were promptly released. At the west 47th street station, fourteen arrests in election cases were made before 8 o'clock, but the deputies were not able to present sufficient evidence to hold any of them and the prisoners were discharged.

The presence of the deputies was early in evidence and hundreds of men were challenged during the first few hours. Each of the deputies was supplied with a list of registered voters who were to be challenged. This list included the name of every person whose right to register was challenged provided that the challenge had not been withdrawn. Hundreds of other names also had been placed on the list as a result of investigations conducted by Mr. Morgan's office since the registration closed. Arrests for alleged illegal voting began early and the officers at police headquarters soon had all the business they could attend to in election cases alone. The first case reported was that of Winfield Scott Moore, a customs inspector who was arrested in the 21st election district fifth assembly district. It is alleged that Moore's name appeared on the registration lists merely as Winfield Scott without the 'Moore'. Moore claimed that the election clerks had erred. The first real trouble was reported in the tubulent eighth assembly district on the east side. At one polling place a gang of 50 or 75 men, apparently acting upon a pre-arranged plan, surrounded the polling place and began to make it unpleasant for the policeman on guard there. Finally they rushed the booth and began to jostle the officer who stood at the door. Other policeman came to the assistance of the assaulted officer, and the mob finally was dispersed. In the melee, one of the policemen and one of the assailants were injured. Similar disturbances in which the police had to drive off other gangs occurred in other polling places in the district.



Uncle Sam—Judge, you made a good clean fight and I'm proud of it.

Cutting But Little.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 8.—Reports from every section of the state are that clear weather prevails and that an unusually heavy vote is being polled. In this city both parties are making every effort to get out the full vote and indications are that an immense vote will be cast. The republican candidate for governor is running slightly behind Roosevelt, but very little cutting is being done in the southern end of the state.

Certainty Makes Apathy.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 8.—Election day opened cloudy but cleared up with indications with a light vote except in the ninth congressional district, where the fight for congress will be close. So sure are the democrats on the presidential ticket that there is little interest in the voting.

Promises Big.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 8.—Fine weather, and an unusually heavy registration, promise the largest vote on record in this part of the state today.

Greatest In Her History.

Burlington, Vt., Nov. 8.—Beautiful weather favored a heavy vote in Vermont, although only presidential electors are to be voted for. Burlington's registration is the highest in her history.

Missouri Interested.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 8.—The large number of early voters shows great election interest here. The day is bright and cool. The polls opened at six and close at seven o'clock tonight.

Ideal Weather.

Kansas, Mo., Nov. 8.—A heavy early vote was cast in Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kas. On the Missouri side, more than the usual interest was taken, especially in the state ticket. The weather was ideal.

Apathy Put Aside.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 8.—The best of weather prevails over Kansas today, and a heavy vote is being polled in spite of the apathy that has prevailed during the campaign.

All For Bryan.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 8.—Clear, cool weather greeted the Nebraskan voters today. The polls were opened at 7 o'clock and the early voting was heavy.

Some Doings at Toledo.

Toledo, O., Nov. 8.—Weather cool and cloudy. A heavy vote was polled in the morning hours, because of the new state law making election day a holiday until 9 a. m. There is a lively local fight on, as the official ballot bears eight different tickets, which will make the count very slow.

Bright and Warm.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 8.—Ideal weather prevails here. It is bright and warm. Prospects are for a heavy vote.

Solidly Democratic.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 8.—The election opened quietly throughout the state with good weather prevailing. A light vote will be polled outside of the city, and it will be practically solid for the democratic electors and congressmen.

Not Disfranchised.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 8.—The weather throughout the state is mild and pleasant. Indications are that there will be a falling off in the vote. Republicans will poll a larger vote than usual. Many negroes will vote.

Small Vote Probable.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 8.—Ideal election weather prevails throughout the state. Only in the few counties where there are local contests is a heavy vote being cast.

Voting Brisk.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 8.—Beautiful weather prevails and voting is brisk. There is heavy scratching on the state ticket. Business men are watching the polls to insure a fair election.

Some Enthusiasm.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 8.—The weather in Atlanta is clear with moderate temperature. The same conditions prevail over the state and the prospects are for a heavier vote than has been anticipated.

Fight on Congressman.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8.—The early voting in Louisville was heavy owing mainly to the fight for congress in this district. The weather was beautiful.

Largest in Years.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 8.—All over West Virginia the weather is mild and fair. It is an ideal day for a large vote and the voting began unusually heavy. The polls opened at 7 o'clock and will close at 5:15. The ballot is long and there will be much scratching, so it will be late before the returns are received. The vote here is the largest at this time of day for many years.

Normal Vote Polled.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Reports from nearly every section of the state indicate that a heavy vote is being polled in Pennsylvania. In the anthracite coal region, it is said that a larger percentage of the votes will be polled than ever before. President Roosevelt is reported to be running strong in the mining districts, many democratic miners casting their ballots for him. In Dauphin county, the home of the Prohibition candidate, an effort is being made to get a big compliimentary vote for him. Harrisburg, where the doctor lives, is flooded with small cards bearing Swallow's picture and the inscription "For the sake of local pride vote for Dr. S. C. Swallow."

As the day proceeded, the interest in the polling increased to such an extent that practically the normal vote was polled by noon. There are few challenges and no trouble reported.

Unprecedented Rush.

Mansfield, O., Nov. 8.—Election day here opened cool and clear, and bid fair to remain so all day. There was an unprecedented rush of voters to the polls before 9 o'clock.

Spirited About It.

Piqua, O., Nov. 8.—The vote here was quite spirited during the early hours, due to there being an independent ticket in the field. Nearly the entire vote will be polled. Weather cloudy.

Fighting Every Inch.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8.—The day opened clear and pleasant in this city. Both parties are using every effort to get out a full vote. From present indications it does not appear that much cutting is being done. This would indicate that the republicans will poll their full vote, and is considered favorable to Roosevelt and Lea, the candidate for governor.

Giving It To Dawson.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov 8.—The weather is promising and the early morning vote is the heaviest on record in Wheeling. So far there has been no trouble at any of the polling places. Dawson, the republican candidate for governor, is being scratched.

Early Bird, Etc.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 8.—Election day in this city is bright and fair, and a very large vote is expected. The early vote was heavy in most precincts.

Educated In Boston.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Indications of the polling of an unusually large vote throughout Massachusetts appeared in the early part of election morning. Excellent weather, a trifle colder than any that yet appeared this autumn prevailed. In Boston and the suburbs early reports told of a heavy polling. Predictions are made today that the local vote in Massachusetts would reach as high a figure as 425,000. Democrats estimated that Douglas would carry the city of Boston by over 20,000 and Judge Parker by about 18,000.

Reports up to noon from all sections of the state indicate that the total vote would not exceed previous reports. The democrats conceded sixty thousand plurality for Roosevelt and Fairbanks in the state, but in spite of the great vote expressed belief that their candidate William L. Douglas, for governor, would win.

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ACTIVITY OF PICKS

And Spades Continues in Front of Port Arthur.

This Spells Inexorably Of

The Garrison's Early Downfall. Russian Soldiers in Want and Dispirited Are Offered Humane Treatment if They Will Surrender to General Nogi.

Chefoo, Nov. 8.—5:30 p. m.—The Japanese besieging Port Arthur, ignoring Lieutenant General Stoessel, the commander of the Russian military forces there, have offered terms of surrender to the Japanese soldiers, according to a despatch leaving Port Dalny yesterday. In the meanwhile the ceaseless activity of picks and spades continues. The Japanese are gradually advancing their trenches, which spell inexorable fate to the watching Russians.

A Russian prisoner captured October 26 said the troops composing the garrison of Port Arthur were in want and dispirited. They saw the fruitlessness of the struggle. Hopeless of relief, with food scarce and medicine and hospital supplies insufficient, it was admitted by the Russians that a Japanese victory was ultimately inevitable.

The soldiers, according to the prisoner, see no reason to prolong the resistance which brings glory to their officers, but chiefly hardship and death to them. Upon hearing the prisoner's story General Nogi assembled his staff, discussed the matter briefly and then under the light of a bicycle lantern, drafted a letter to be circulated among the soldiers themselves, the prisoner having promised to deliver it in mercy to his comrades. The letter related General Kuropatkin's retreats and his inability to make an impression on the army of Field Marshal Oyama, to say nothing of breaking through his forces and relieving Port Arthur. The letter also pointed out that the second Russian Pacific squadron has just started on its slow voyage. Continuing, it called attention to the resistless advance of the Japanese trenches, making it a matter of weeks when the Japanese would walk into the main Russian strongholds. In connection the letter offered humane treatment to all who surrendered, saying it was in the interests of humanity to prevent further, useless struggle. In the darkness of the early morning of November 4, several copies of the letter, written in Russian were given to the prisoner, who regained the Russian lines unobserved by his officers. That night the Russian returned, saying his comrades would answer within a few days. He said the temper of the men seemed to show that while they were mutinous towards fate they also did not like the idea of an unofficial surrender. The letter did much, however, to dispel among the Russian troops the impression fostered by their officers that a massacre would follow a Japanese victory.

The company to which the prisoner belonged originally numbered 800 and now totals thirty men.

As the Japanese are sufficiently near the summits of the hills to render tunneling highly practicable, much of this work is now being done. The Russians are building counter tunnels. Which ever side finds its tunnel under the enemy's blows up the latter's tunnel. To prevent explosives being rolled down into their trenches the Japanese have made ranges or pillars of earth above the trenches.

Five Russian mine sweeping steamers have been sunk by Japanese shells.

Tokio, Nov. 8.—Reports from the Shakhe river state that both armies are still strengthening their positions along the river and are otherwise busily preparing for another great battle. The scouts are constantly in touch and frequent outpost skirmishes occur, but there is no likelihood of a general engagement for the present.

Reinforcements of Russian troops, guns and supplies are constantly arriving at the front, filling the gaps caused by the crushing losses at the battle of Shakhe river.

Shanghai, Nov. 8.—The officers and crew of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Reyshitelni which the Japanese cut out of the harbor at Chefoo on August 12 have arrived here on the Manjur, with the exception of the commander who escaped at Woosung. He is probably now homeward bound on a German mail steamer.

Tokio, Nov. 8.—Unofficial news received here from Port Arthur since Saturday's report of the progress made by the besiegers indicates that the Japanese operations are proceeding satisfactorily, though slowly. Limestone formations and rocky ground interfere with the sapping. It is now considered that the capture of Rihlung Mountain and East Keekwan Mountain without Antse and Etse Muntains is not sufficient to force the Russians to abandon the city proper.

Shanghai, Nov. 8.—It is reported in British naval circles that a Japanese man-of-war has been sunk by a mine off Port Arthur.

Mukden, Nov. 8.—Artillery firing was continuous all along the lines on Monday and intermittent this morning. A battle might commence at any hour. It will be a question of many days if not weeks to decide the position, which is the most interesting since the commencement of the war. Each side is waiting for the other to attack.

Taking Precautions.

Port Said, Egypt, ov. 8.—The Russian consul general at Cairo and the naval attache of Russia at Constantinople have arrived here in connection with the expected arrival of the Russian second Pacific squadron. Extraordinary precautions are being taken for the protection of the war ships. Special guards have been posted on the banks the whole length of the canal.

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Alaska Abounds In Resources

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Word has been received in Washington from all the parties of the United States Geological Survey that areare at work this season in Alaska.

In Southeastern Alaska.

Messrs. F. C. and C. W. Wright, who were assigned to geological work in southeastern Alaska, the only noteworthy lode mining district of the territory, report that they have completed the reconnaissance from Juneau to Sitka, and have begun an examination of the gold deposits in the vicinity of Sitka and of the coals of Admiralty Islands.

Later in the season they will work southward along the mainland, and toward its close will visit some of the more important copper mines in the Ketchikan district. The incessant rains, which are a feature of summer weather in this region, make survey work of any kind very difficult. The annual precipitation at Sitka is about 90 inches, which is chiefly in the form of rain, as it seldom snows there in any season. As the work of the Messrs. Wright is chiefly confined to the shore line, they have found it advantageous to make use of a small launch in going from place to place. By adopting this mode of locomotion they avoid much of the danger and discomfort that are inseparable from travel in the interior.

Placer District About Cook Inlet.

The party that was detailed to survey the Cook Inlet placer fields, with Mr. F. H. Muffit as geologist and Mr. E. G. Hamilton as topographer, landed at Resurrection Bay on June 1st, with seven men and ten horses, and took their course inland by way of Lake Kenai, following the route of a railway which is now under construction. During the month of June they traversed the Kenai Peninsula, and early in July reached the placer fields of Turnagain Arm. Topographic and geologic work covering an area of about 700 square miles was done during the first month in the field. The remainder of the season will be spent in making a survey and careful examination of the placer districts in this region.

The Coal and Oil Fields of Southwestern Alaska.

Mr. R. W. Stone reached Homer, on Kachemak Bay, on the west side of Kenai Peninsula, early in June, and spent about three weeks in making a careful examination of the Kachemak coal fields. This coal area was the scene of the earliest mining operations in Alaska. It was discovered by the Russians about the middle of the last century and since that time has been spasmodically exploited, though its aggregate out put has been small. It is hoped that a careful survey of this field may reveal the facts that some of the seams are of sufficient size and that the coal is of the requisite quality to furnish a fuel supply for this part of Alaska. Toward the end of June, Mr. Stone joined Dr. G. C. Martin, who had been making a re-examination of the Enochkin oil field, on the west side of the Cook Inlet. Together they went southward to make a careful examination of the mineral resources of Alaska Peninsula, including the oil fields of Cold Bay and the coal deposits of Herendeen Bay.

Detailed Topographic Survey of Seward Peninsula.

The first detailed surveys ever made of any part of northern Alaska were the work of Mr. T. G. Gerdine. He landed this year, about the middle of June, at Nome, with a party of ten men and eight horses. With his assistants, Mr. W. R. Hill and Mr. R. B. Oliver, he has begun the survey on a large scale of the more important part of the mining district that lies adjacent to Nome. Should this work meet with the approval of those who are interested in the mines of Seward Peninsula, it is hoped that similar surveys may be made of all the important districts of the peninsula, in using wagons for transportation. Mr. Gerdine's party established a new custom. The treeless character of the Nome country makes it possible to haul supplies by wagon to almost any point.

Coal Deposits of Cape Lisburne.

Perhaps the most difficult task of this season's work in Alaska is that assigned to Mr. Arthur J. Collier. It is his duty to study the coal fields in the neighborhood of Cape Lisburne, which lie on the Polar Ocean, far north of the Arctic Circle, and are accessible only during the summer months. Mr. Collier reached Nome early in July and went thence by whaler to his field of operations, where he will remain for about a month. With the assistance of Mr. Chester Washburn he will make a careful examination of the coal found in this vicinity, with a view of determining definitely whether it is of commercial value for export. When the early fall storms drive him out of the Arctic region Mr. Collier will make a brief visit to the tin deposits of the York district, which he was instrumental in discovering in 1902.

Work in the Yukon-Tanana Area.

The largest expedition sent to Alaska this year left Seattle May 28th, under the direction of Mr. D. C. Witherspoon. The party included twelve men and twenty-one horses, being in fact, two parties, the one a topographic corps to operate under Mr. Witherspoon's personal supervision, and the other a geologic party in charge of Mr. L. M. Prindle. Mr. Witherspoon is assisted in his work by Mr. G. Thomas Ford, and Mr. Prindle by Mr. F. L. Hess. The large area lying between the Yukon and Tanana rivers includes several widely separated placer gold districts, and it is the mission of these two parties to extend the surveys in this field. The most important parts of the field are the Fortymile Birch Creek Rampart, and Fairbanks districts. The first three have been producers of gold for several years. The Fairbanks region, which came into prominence during 1902, will receive the special attention of the survey parties.

Witherspoon's two parties reached Eagle, on Yukon river, June 12th, having transported their horses two thousand miles by steamer and rail. The steamer trip from Seattle to Skagway requires usually five or six days. From there the Yukon and White Pass railway conveys passengers to White Horse, where steamers connect with Dawson, Eagle, and other down-river points. Travel to the interior of Alaska is frequently delayed in the spring by the presence of ice in Lake Laberge or by low water, which makes navagation difficult at the head of the lake. The ice went out of the Yukon river earlier than usual this year and Lake Laberge was clear by June 4th. The low water caused delay, however, and the parties remained six days at Skagway waiting for the opening of navigation. The first steamer carried tons of second class mail which had been accumulating during the winter months, and when the Survey's men reached Eagle, about the middle of June, they found the people of that place opening their long delayed Christmas presents.

From Eagle, the geologic wing of the party, under Mr. Prindle, turned southward, making their way to Fairbanks along the valley of Goldpanner river. Mr. Witherspoon took a parallel course about twenty miles to the north, moving in the same direction. After reaching Fairbanks and examining that district in some detail Mr. Prindle will continue his work to the northwest, and will study the Rampart gold district, which has produced more or less of the yellow metal for the last ten years. Mr. Witherspoon, whose topographic work requires more time, will probably not move beyond Fairbanks, so that the extension of the topographic work westward to Rampart will have to wait another season.

Placer-Mining Methods in Alaska.

The survey work that has most attracted the attention of the placer miners this season is that carried on by Mr. C. W. Purington. Assisted by Mr. Sidney Paige, he is studying Alaskan methods of placer mining and their cost. Mr. Purington reached Juneau early in June and spent several days there examining the placer mines of the district, with special reference to their cost of operation. From Juneau he made his way inland, visiting the Atlin district. He afterward made a close study of the Klondike field, where operations extending through a period of several years have developed some excellent methods for mining in this northwestern region. From the Klondike the party proceeded to Eagle, where two hydraulic properties were examined. From there they will continue their work to Circle, visiting the Birch Creek district and possibly the Fairbanks region. Later in the season they will go to Nome and devote a month to the careful examination of mines in that district. It is expected that their study will determine the best methods of economically exploiting the gold deposits of the frozen north.

Mr. Alfred H. Brooks, geologist in charge of the division of Alaskan mineral resources, remained in Washington during the early summer to prepare for publication numerous reports on Alaskan work. He left Washington early in August, expecting to visit the several survey parties at Cook Inlet, Nome, and in southeastern Alaska before returning to Washington in October.

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POSTOFFICE MORGUE ABOLISHED

What has been known for years as the Postoffice "Morgue" has been abolished. Ever since the establisament of this branch of the government it has been the custom to keep the portraits of deceased postmasters general together in one room, called the morgue. At the new postoffice department building the morgue has been the room occupied by the private secretary to the chief executive officer. Around the walls of this room there are hung more or less authentic portraits of all heads of the postal service since the time of the first postmaster general, in George Washingtons cabinet, William Osgood, of Massachusetts. The last picture to be hung on the wall was that of former Postmaster General Bissell, who died a couple of years ago. Prior to his death Bissell's portrait hung in the anteroom, just east of the office of the private secretary.

The custom of having large oil paintings made of present-day officials has led to the abolishment of the morgue. Lack of wall space for paintings four and five feet square led to the adoption of a new scheme for disposing of the portraits. All the oil portraits have been gathered together in the room of the postmaster general, which will hereafter be the chief art gallery of the department. The portraits now hanging there are of Bissell, Gray, Cameron, Wanamaker, Wilson and King. A splendid oil painting of Payne was recently completed for the government, and is now on exhibition in St. Louis, where it forms a part of the postal exhibit. After the exposition is closed it will be brought back to Washington and placed among the other portraits—Washington correspondent Brooklyn Times.

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PARKER HOT ELECTION IN COLORADO.

Got Behind His Charger And Went To Kingston to Vote for Alton B.

On Entering Polls the Crowd Gathered About Him and Wish Him Success.

Photographers Were There in Numbers and as His Ballot Was Dropped Many Lights Flashed on Him.

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Judge Parker slept later today than he has in many months. It was after 8 o'clock when he arose. His brother, Fred Parker, was driven to the station at Esopus to catch a train for New York, where he will vote. The Judge and his secretary, Mr. McCausland, then took the buckboard and drove to Kingston where they cast their ballots. The weather was perfect and they decided to take the Eddyville road which passes through a gap in the mountains and is several miles longer than the main road.

JUDGE

Greeted With Enthusiastic Reception at the Polls.

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Judge Parker drove up to the Old Pottery on Greenkill avenue, the voting place of the third district of the ninth ward at 10:40 o'clock. A crowd of Kingston neighbors had assembled to welcome him and he was received with cheers. The Judge passed the reins to Mr. McCausland and stepped from his wagon. Ralph Finnegan, a six year old boy whose home adjoins the pottery, rushed out and was the first to shake hands with the candidate.

"I hope you will be elected," he told the Judge.

"Thank you," the Judge replied with a laugh, "you are a great boy."

Several friends claimed the Judge's attention and he shook hands many times before reaching the pottery. The crowd within the pottery also cheered and the Judge was compelled to hold a brief informal reception before he could reach the voting officials. He was handed a ballot and at the same time was asked the usual questions. Judge Parker gave his name and answered that his residence was 30 Pine Grove avenue which is the home of his son-in-law, the Rev. Chas. Mercer Hall.

After complying with all the formalities the Judge passed into a booth and remained half a minute. He came out and handed his folded ballot to a clerk who deposited it and announced "Alton Brooks Parker votes ballot 147." Then there was a flash and several photographers obtained pictures as the Judge's ballot was dropped into the box. More cheers followed. The Judge inquired if a flash light was necessary on so fine a day. He shook hands with the policeman on duty at the door and walked out. After conversing with friends for a moment he drove up town to give secretary, Mr. McCausland, an opportunity to vote.

At 11 o'clock the Judge went to the office of his dentist to keep an annual appointment. He makes a practice of having his teeth examined at least once each year and in order that he shall not forget always goes on election day after casting his ballot.

There are 2400 different mineral waters bottled in New York City.—Exchange.

That's nothing; think of the people bottled up in Port Arthur.

ANY TOPIC BUT LOVE.

New York Sun.—A man well advanced in years is almost a daily visitor to Central park. He is generally accompanied by a young woman. Some of the park employes who observed the two thought they were father and daughter.

After a while it was noticed that a different young woman appeared with the man about every two weeks. It was not possible that any man could have so many daughters. A person of an inquisitive turn of mind constituted himself an investigator. This is what he learned:

The old man is a person of means, and he pays 50 cents an hour for the society of any yong woman of education who is willing to accompany him and entertain him on his rambles through the park with bright conversation on any topic but love. As they pass about six hours a day in the park the girl earns $3 a day just by talking. The different objects in the park evidently supply the themes of discourse.

Why the man changes his escort every two weeks remains a mystery. Perhaps a young woman talks herself out in that time. Maybe he thinks it best to take no chances.

Two Democratic Judges Were Killed by a Peabody Sheriff.

At Midway, Democratic Woman Judge Was Attacked by One of Bell's Deputies, Who Was Shot Down by Democratic Watchman.

CRIPPLE CREEK, COLO., NOV. 8.—TWO DEMOCRATIC ELECTION JUDGES WERE KILLED IN THIS DISTRICT TODAY. A PEABODY DEPUTY SHERIFF WAS MORTALLY WOUNDED AND A NUMBER OF DEMOCRATIC JUDGES WERE BEATEN AND THROWN INTO JAIL. IKE KEBOLT AND CHRIS. MILLER, JUDGES AT GOLDFIELD, WERE SHOT DOWN BY ONE OF SHERIFF BELL'S DEPUTIES. THEY HAD ORDERED THE DEPUTY OUT OF THE POLLING PLACE. HE REFUSED TO GO AND TURNING UPON THE JUDGES, SHOT AND KILLED THEM.

AT MIDDAY, ED. DOYLE, A DEPUTY SHERIFF, ASSAULTED MRS. KENNEDY, A DEMOCRATIC JUDGE, AND IN A STRUGGLE THAT ENSUED, TORE HER DRESS AND SLAPPED HER. ED. OLEARY, A DEMOCRATIC WATCHER, INTERFERRED AND SHOT DOYLE, FATALLY WOUNDING HIM. O'LEARY WAS ARRESTED.

Secret Service Man.

Cripple Creek, Colo., Nov. 8.—James Wafford, the deputy who shot the two election officers in Goldfield, was a secret service man during the military rule in the district. Miller and Kebolt were union men.

BURNED HIS FEET UNTIL HE DIVULGED

The Hiding Place of His Money--Inhuman Treat Inflicted on an Aged Farmer by a Band of Robbers.

Sandusky, O., Nov. 8.—Three masked robbers entered the home of Jos. Robbins, a farmer living near North Amherst, last night, and demanded that he give them what money he had in the house. Robbins protested that he had no money.

The robbers then dealt him a blow that knocked him almost into insensibility and then burned his feet till he told them where his money was concealed. They secured this and escaped leaving no clew. Robbins lives alone on a farm and has long been supposed to keep considerable money in his house. He is about sixty years old. After being tortured, he was so badly injured that he could not get out of the house to call for aid. The robbers used the insulation on copper telephone wire to do the burning, setting fire to the parrafine soaked cloth.

OIL COUNTRY HOTEL DESTROYED BY FIRE.

HOUSTON, TEXAS, NOV. 8.—THE SILVER QUEEN HOTEL IN THE SOUR LAKE OIL FIELD, WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE TODAY AND FOUR PEOPLE WERE BURNED TO DEATH. THE DEAD:

C. E. LOUIS, SPINDLETOP, TEX.
LEE HAMILTON, SPINDLETOP, TEXAS.
JACK SMITH AND WIFE, NEW HANOVER, TEXAS.

PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED:
JACK SULLIVAN, SOUR LAKE.
J. TUCKER, SOUR LAKE.

THE HOTEL WAS FILLED WITH GUESTS. THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE IS UNKNOWN.

WHEN HE WOULD BUY.

Charles James Fox, the famous English advocate of a generation ago, and his secretary, Mr. Hare, who lived with him, were both noted for their impecuniosity, and their creditors spent much time in dunning them. One morning before daylight there was a violent ringing at their door, and Mr. Fox, going to the window, found a group of creditors below.

"Are you fox hunting or hare hunting this morning, gentlemen?" he asked.

"Come, now, Mr. Fox," one of them called up, "tell us when you are going to pay that bill. Just set a date and we will leave you in peace."

"All right," was the reply. "How will the day of judgment suit you?"

"Not at all," said the creditor; "We'll all be too busy on that day."

"Well," said Mr. Fox, "rather than put you to any inconvenience we'll make it the day after."—Cleveland Leader.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Opposition cures apathy.

Fatalism takes all force out of life.

Rusty pipes do not enrich the water of life.

A man may be loud and yet not say much.

Happiness is never gained until it is given.

Many would rather be in sin than out of style.

Praying lips cannot square up for profane living.

Manufacturing sorrow is one of the worst of sins.

A crusty tongue seldom has a chance to get rusty.

You cannot do God's work and walk your own way.

Character is the only cash that is current in heaven.

Nature may make some fools, but all the fops make themselves.

Throwing millstones at men is not the same thing as giving them flour.

The man who has no mind of his own often has most of it to give away.

Many a man thinks he is getting a corner lot in glory when he puts a dime in the collection that he couldn't pass on the street car.—Chicago Tribune.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Love and whisky make men do queer things.

During courtship they argue; after marriage they quarrel.

Many a marble heart does business beneath a sealskin jacket.

It is because bachelors know so much about women that they are bachelors.

No woman can wear a new dress without in some way advertising its newness.

Men will shake your hand if you have money; if you haven't they will shake you.

When the cheeks begin to glow with cold it is time for stoves to glow with heat.

Charity leaves enough sins uncovered to prevent gossips from acquiring lockjaw.

Some men would rather sleep an hour later than to wake up and find themselves famous.

When his satanic majesty bids you adieu, keep an eye on him till he turns the corner.

It is more or less difficult for some people to do their duty—thanks to the vigilance of the customs officials.—Chicago News.

SNIDE LIGHTS ON HISTORY.

Samson was asking Delilah why she loved him.

"For comely grace, Li?" he queried, softly.

"Nay," she replied, "I love you for your hair."

"Aha!" said Samson, "capillary attraction."

Which was good repartee in those days.—Chicago Journal.

William Tell had just shot the apple from his son's head.

"That was very difficult," said Gessler.

"No," responded Tell, "it was a snap shot."

The Standard Oil pipe line from Indian Territory to Bayonne, N. J., is the longest in the universe, excepting the salvation pipe line connecting young Mr. Rockefeller and the celestial regions.—Puck.

ALWAYS TOLD THE TRUTH.

Judge Henry A. Shute, the author, was born in Exeter, N. H., and an Exeter man said of him the other day:

"Harry Shute and I used to fish together in our childhood. Many a mess of brook trout, perch and horned pout we chooked before we knew how to read or write.

"One day when we were fishing a city boy joined us. He sat down on a piece of granite rock, and while he fished he lied to us about city life.

"When we got through I thought I would do a little lying for the country's sake.

"'You see that farm over there?' I said, 'well, that farm belongs to Cyrus Skinner, our champeen farmer. Do you know how much butter and cheese Cyrus Skinner makes? Why, he makes 1,000,000 pounds of butter and 1,000,000 pounds of cheese a year.'

"The city boy looked skeptical and I turned to Shute to back me up. I turned a little timidly, though, for Shute, was, as a rule, a truthful boy.

"'Ain't that so, Henry? I said. 'Don't Cyrus Skinner make 1,000,000 pounds of butter and 1,000,000 of cheese a year?'

"'Well,' says Harry, 'I can't say as I ever heard precisely how much cheese and butter Skinner makes, but I know for a fact that he has eleven sawmills that all run by buttermilk.'"—Boston Globe.

W. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., says, "I wish to report that Foley's Kidney Cure has cured a terrible case of kidney and bladder trouble that two doctors had given up." H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

NO CALF-KILLING.

Chairman Cortelyou, of the republican national committee, was recently approached by a minor and unimportant New York state politician, who, though formerly a republican at the past two presidential elections, has voted the democratic ticket. The man explained at length that he had seen the exceeding error of his ways and was now once more ready to vote and work for the party of his first love, at the same time intimating that a congenial job at headquarters during the campaign would be acceptable.

"Mr. Blank," said Mr. Cortelyou, firmly, "I'm sorry, but I shall have to disappoint you. We're glad you're back, but nowadays the wise prodigal fetches along his own calf."—New York Times.

ANXIOUS MOMENTS.

Some of the most anxious hours of a mother's life are those when the little ones of the household have the croup. There is no other medicine so effective in this terrible malady as Foley's Honey and Tar. It is a household favorite for throat and lung troubles, and as it contains no opiates or other poisons it can be safely given. H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

FIRST SIGNS.

The first signs of having taken cold are a chill or shiver—a scratty throat or a sneeze—a disposition to perspire and always that tired feeling.

A few doses of Dr. Humphrey's "Seventy-seven" will restore the checked circulation, start the blood coursing through the veins and break up the cold.

"77" will also break up colds that hang on and do not yield to other treatment.

"77" cures coughs, colds, grip, influenza, catarrh, pains and soreness in the head and chest, hoarseness, sore throat, general prostration and fever.

At druggists, 25 cents each, or mailed Humphrey's Medicine Co., corner William and John streets, New York.

Diphtheria relieved in twenty minutes. Almost miraculous. Doctor Thomas' Eclectric Oil. At any drug store.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Faith creates the future.

Anyway, there aren't any coal bills to pay in hell.

It is a good deal easier to condemn a new idea than it is to comprehend it.

The greatest coward is the one who is afraid of being charged with fear.

Women use cold cream to keep their faces from being red and paint to make them so.

Generally when a man quits drinking his favorite tipple he has found something stronger.

Maybe the Russians would do better if they ran two or three automobiles among the Japanese.

The reason a girl doesn't scream when a man is kissing her against her will is she is afraid some one will hear.—New York Press.

Bee's Honey and Tar is different from all other remedies offered for the relief of coughs, lung and bronchial troubles. It contains Antiseptic properties that destroy the germs, and Solvent properties that cut the phlegm, allowing it to be thrown off, moves the bowels gently. Cures Croup, Whooping Cough and Colds in one night. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

Out West.

"I used to know a man who came here for the good of his health. His name was Jones."

"Yes, I knew him. He dealt himself a card from the bottom of the deck one night and then he left for the good of his health."

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ITEMS

Concerning Doings In South Lima.

Bank is Still

Closed, But Officers Are Hustling

To Take it Out of Receiver's Hand on a Ten Percent Basis.

Thieves Getting in Their Work Again. This Time It's Wood Instead of Chickens. Local Notes.

Everybody has been so interested in politics the past few days, that the excitement caused by the bank failure has dwindled down to a mere flurry. "Tomorrow," the time of opening the bank doors, has not arrived, but officers of that institution were circulating among the depositors the past twenty-four hours, obtaining signatures of those who are willing to accept a ten per cent a month basis straight through. This is being done with a view to taking the bank out of the hands of the receiver, and again opening the doors to the public. It is thought the scheme will restore confidence in the institution, and the officers are making a desperate effort, seemingly, to adjust matters. Within the next few days depositors will know what to expect, and it is to be hoped all will be satisfied, financially at least.

Called For Police.

The past few nights, residents on south Central avenue, south of Kibby street, have been missing anything in the fuel line from kindling to coal, and last night several families concluded to keep an eye on their wood and coal piles. The plan worked like a charm, with the result that the thieves were seen, recognized, and in one instance frightened away. A call was sent in for an officer, but up to the hour of going to press not a blue-coat had arrived. Probably the wires were busy, or maybe they could not find the place. One man who has been loser on the wood exchange says he is going to keep his shot-gun loaded and offers to bet that if the thieves come again they'll carry away something else besides wood.

Bruise Caused Operation.

Several weeks ago Miss Jessie Tussinger, of east Circular street, sustained a bruise to her right thumb which came near proving a serious affair. The wound took on the form of blood poisoning, and the arm was swollen and purple to the shoulder. Drs. Bates and Dickey operated on the thumb Sunday afternoon, by splitting it and scraping the bone. Miss Tussinger was resting easier today and suffers but very little pain since the operation.

Don't Foget It.

South Side people can learn all election returns tonight at the corner of Kibby and Main streets, as Cramer will have a special wire in operation for the occasion.

Evangelical Meetings.

Special meetings will be held at the Main Street Presbyterian church every night next week. A former actress, Miss Edith Peake, but now a prominent evangelist, will have charge of the meetings.

Brief Notes of Happenings.

Last night's Times-Democrat published an article warning its readers against a fraud book agent, who had worked Kenton people. He arrived in Lima yesterday and began work. Look out or him.

J. B. Young has just finished a 190-foot driven well on one of his properties on south Elizabeth street. South Lima should have many such wells.

You can actually see, from Main street bridge, a force of men at work cleaning the channel of Hog Creek, and they are hustling, too, to get the work completed before freezing weather.

Ater visiting her brother, Robert Cusac, of south Main street, Miss Mae Cusac returned to Findlay yesterday.

Dr Rudy is entertaining Wilbur Fookes, of Washington, D. C.

Ray Shaffer, bookkeeper at the stave factory, visited friends at Rockford, Sunday.

Rev. A. D. Welty of east Second street, has returned from Kenton, where he has been holding evangelical meetings.

Miss Anna Dahling, of 947 Tanner avenue, who was injured yesterday by falling from a street car, on south Main street was reported as resting nicely today, although she suffers some with her head.

Fred Born has returned to Hepburn, after visiting the John Huntsman family.

Rev. T. L. Wilsee, pastor of Grace church, is on the sick list.

After an extended visit with friends in Pennsylvania, Mrs. F. B. Reed and daughter, Zula, of south Elizabeth street, have returned.

Mrs. Charles Laughy and Mrs. Dan Staples, of west High street, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Smith at Bluffton.

While there is life there is hope.

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus G. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

Cream Balm reached me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs Franklin Freeman, Dover, N. H.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cents, or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

STILL

Along Ways Ahead of Them

Said Taggart

Over Telephone to Secretary Woodson

In Answer to Statement That Republicans Were Reporting They Had Indiana.

But Little Business Transacted At Either One of the National Headquarters, That fo the Republicans Being Abandoned.

New York, Nov. 5.—(Political Headquarters)—Very few persons connected with the national and state committees were at the different headquarters today. Vice Chairman Delancey Nicoll, Secretary Woodson and August Belmont were at the democratic headquarters shortly before noon but very little business was transacted. They merely exchanged opinions as to the outcome of the election. Secretary Woodson was talking with Chairman Taggart on the long distance telephone and had an exchange of pleasantries regarding the situation. Mr. Woodson told the chairman that he heard that the republicans have got him in Indiana, to which Mr. Taggart replied that he was still a long ways ahead of them.

None of the members of the republican national committee were at headquarters during the early part of the day. At the Fifth Avenue Hotel telegrams were received by the republican state committee from different parts of the state saying that there was good weather and a full vote was being polled. The democratic state headquarters were in charge of some of the clerks of the committee but no reports concerning the election had been received.

CURE FOR ASTIGMATISM.

In the schools of a Connecticut town measures were recently taken to test the children's eyesight. As the doctor finished each school he gave the principal a list of the pupils whose eyes needed attention, and requested him to notify the children's parents to that effect.

One night, soon after the opening of the fall term, a little boy came home and gave his father the following note, duly signed by the principal:

"Mr. ——, Dear Sir: It becomes my duty to inform you that your son shows decided indications of astigmatism, and his case is one that should be attended to without delay."

The next day the father sent the following answer.

"Dear Sir: Whip it out of him. Your truly, ——————"

—Cleveland Leader.

"It is a generous and helpful world,' said the multimillionaire.

"Indeed?"

"Yes, when it was announced that I desired to die a comparatively poor man there was a general movement to assist me in the enterprise.'

Likeness.

"It seems as if," the maid exclaimed, "We'd been a very long time wed"

"Eh, why?" the bashful wooer cried;

"You never kiss me, sir," she said.

—Cleveland Leader

Do You Cough? Don't Delay, Take

KEMP'S BALSAM

THE BEST COUGH CURE.

It cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents. Sample mailed FREE. Address, "KEMP'S BALSAM, Le Roy, N. Y.

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much so as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

Send for free book containing information of priceless value to all expectant mothers.

The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Mother's Friend

RECOGNIZED IT.

There is a campaign story told by former Governor Pattison of Pennsylvania:

"A certain candidate thought his chance for election would be increased if he acquired a knowledge of Pennsylvania Dutch, so he prevailed upon a friend who was familiar with that patois to accompany him and teach him a Dutch sentence to use at the end of each speech.

"In the excitement of one meeting, however, he forgot the phrase so patiently taught him early in the day, and under cover of taking a drink of water hastily communicated that fact to his mentor.

" 'Never mind,' was the whispered reply, 'just say, 'Was nempst?' '

"This the speaker innocently did, and the result astonished him.

" 'Such a rush from a hall,' he afterward said, 'was probably never before witnessed in the state of Pennsylvania. What I said in Pennsylvania Dutch was "What will you have to drink?" and the proprietor of the hotel to which my audience had adjourned taxed me $25 for my "Was nempst" remark.' "—New York News.

A COOK'S CONTEMPT.

The wife of a well-known naval officer in Washington recently advertised for a cook. Though the establishment presided over by the officer's wife is in accord with their undisputed social position, yet it is by no means pretentious, for the naval man has no means aside from his salary. Consequently, when one applicant for the position of cook announced to the wife that her price would be $50 a month she was told that such wages were out of the question. The cook, not designing to notice the remark, went on at length to give her superior qualifications, touching especially on her ability to get up smart luncheons and dinners. Again the lady of the house said that she would not pay $50 for a cook. Seeing that her determination was unalterable, the applicant for the place prepared to take her departure.

As she was nearing the door she remarked patronizingly:

"I see! You are trying to live within your income!"—Cleveland Leader.

MADE YOUNG AGAIN.

"One of Dr King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dennisville, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's Drug store.

SPRECKLER'S QUERY.

On a trip to California Claus Spreckels was induced by a friend to indorse a well known Kentuckian's note for $1500.

Going afterward to Harrodsburg, the man's home, he discovered the fact that all of his property was in his wife's name and therefore exempt from the debt of $1500.

Some months later Spreckels was sitting in the lobby of the Ebbitt house at Washington, reading his paper, when the same friend came up and accosted him.

"Do you know what's the matter with Blank" asked he.

"No," said Spreckles. "What?"

"He's got rheumatism," answered the friend.

Mr Spreckels returned to the perusal of his paper.

"Has he got it in his wife's name?" he asked, casually.—New York Times.

They Kicked.

He said: "I'll speak the truth today
To each man I may meet,"
He tried it and that night his pants
Bore prints of many feet.

—Exchange

Fate.

He loved a beautiful girl.
Nor was she on her part insensible
But they were strangers.
"I may not throw myself at her feet," groaned he, to himself.
"I may not throw myself at his head," sighed she, in her part.
But the decree of fate was writ. A moment later the car turned a corner, and, with the same lurch, threw him at her feet and she at his head.
"Lovely weather we're having,' said he, retaining his presence of mind admirably.
"Lovely,' said she.
And they were married and lived happily forever afterward.—Puck

HOW THE WORLD MAKES A LIVING.

Chicago Record-Herald—Interesting facts are brought out by a table published in a German industrial organ giving the percentages of persons in the leading countries of the world engaged in the principal lines of "gainful activity." The table is instructive enough to be worth reproducing:

Country.	Agriculture and forestry.	Manufactures and mining.	Commerce and transportation.
Germany	37.5	37.4	10.6
Austria	55.2	22.3	7.3
Hungary	58.8	12.6	3.3
Italy	59.4	24.5	7.4
Switzerland	37.4	40.7	10.7
France	44.3	32.6	9.4
Belgium	21.1	41.6	11.7
Netherlands	30.7	33.7	17.2
Denmark	48.0	24.9	11.8
Norway	49.6	22.9	11.7
England & Wales	8.0	58.3	13.0
Sweden	49.8	20.9	7.5
Scotland	12.0	60.4	12.4
Ireland	44.6	32.6	5.0
United States	35.9	24.1	16.3

Some of these figures are rather surprising at least at first sight. How many of the best informed persons know that from the "percentage" point of view, Scotland leads in manufactures? Again, that Holland uses more men in transportation than any other country, not excepting the United States and that tight, busy little island, Great Britain, cannot be a familiar fact.

Europe has had a good deal to say about the American industrial invasion yet according to this table even Italy's percentage of men engaged in manufactures and mining exceeds that of the United States. Our exports of manufactures are still in their infancy and if our future progress in manufacturing shall in its rate be at all comparable to that which has rised the value of our exports in this line from $157,000,000 to $433,000,000, what will Europe say a quarter of a century hence?

Finally, what a painful showing England makes in her 8 per cent. of men engaged in agriculture and forestry! No wonder her statesmen and philosophers are agitating the question of physical deterioration and crying "Back to the land!" The contrast between England and France in this respect is striking. Has it not been said that the wealth of France is in the stocking of her peasant proprietors?

QUICK ARREST.

J. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 21 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp, Druggist.

Every day in the week but Fridays and Saturdays to St. Louis and return for $8.05 and six night lodging and six breakfasts for $5.50 and your $5.50 is not tied up in a ticket office. You pay when you leave the hotel. Why leave at 9:55 a. m. when you can leave at 9:55 a. m. and arrive at St. Louis at 9:30 p. m.? Representation of this company will accompany parties of 10 or more and escort them to the hotel. Special attention to ladies and children. Who is doing this? The Lake Erie & Western R. R. Address local ticket agent or W. F. Carter, D. P. A.

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A new theory that is proving successful in the cure of Coughs, Lung and Bronchial affections is offered in Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. This remedy cuts the mucous, heals the membranous lining of the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes; wards off Pneumonia and strengthens the system generally. Croup and Whooping Cough disappear before its use as snow before the sunshine of Spring. It's pleasant. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

ST. LOUIS AND RETURN $13.50.

Via C. H. & D. railway, Thursday, November 10th, 1904. This includes six nights room and six breakfast at the Convention hotel. Special through coaches personally conducted will leave Lima at 5:30 a. m. Secure tickets day before excursion.

THE STAGE.

To see a play that does not but make one feel better and happier. The presentation of this play is the unfolding of a sweet simple story as old as time and as beautiful as truth could be. It is a page taken from Down East Life an exhibitment of the doings of the quaint, unpretentious people of that section.

"Eben Holden" is a wholesome play. There is no scarlet woman but there is plenty of humor and lovemaking and of all that goes to while away a pleasant hour in the theatre.

This delightful rural play will be seen at the Faurot Opera House tomorrow night with a strong company headed by Henry Horton.

Mr. Howard Hall in his great melodramatic scenic success "The Waif's Paradise," will be presented at the Faurot Opera House on Thursday night.

"The Waifs Paradise" appeals to the heart rather than the senses. True there are sensational features, the greatest ever witnessed upon the stage.

Yielding to the popular demand, specialties are introduced, also a cage of wild lions. Mr. Chas. E. Blaney has spared no expense in making this attraction the hit of the season, dramatically, artistically and financially. It is the intention of the management to keep this company up to the high standard of excellence attained in Mr. Hall's former great success, "The Man Who Dared." The play is intensely dramatic, pathetic and sensational, with plenty of comedy that is natural and sparkling as the mountain stream, and as true to its purpose.

You can laugh or cry according to your temperament. The sensational incidents, are no sham, but the real thing.

See the great quarantine scene, entirely new to the stage. See the heroine's hazardous leap for life from a burning building, and the sensational rescue.

See Howard Hall's reckless dash into the lion's cage to save a little girl from instant death.

See the villain meet his just reward as he plunges headlong from the dizzy cliff to the jagged rocks below.

The scenic equipment is most elaborate and beautiful. The company equal to any appearing at high priced theatres.

Notwithstanding the great expense, popular prices will prevail.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list they found only one that they declared was entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best than can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Stocks Show Excursions to Chicago Over Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold over Pennsylvania Lines November 27th, 28th and 29th at one first class one-way fare plus $1.00 for round trip, account International Live Stock Exposition. This year's Live Stock Show, with eleven thousand animals on exhibition, including two thousand horses, is to be the greatest on record, and the low fares over Pennsylvania Lines make it a good time for an inexpensive trip to Chicago. For particulars, consult Local Ticket Agent of Pennsylvania Lines.

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HE COULD HARDLY GET UP.

"This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure and it has helped me more than any other medicine," writes P. H. Duty, of Ashley, Ill. "I tried many advertised remedies, but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recommended Foley's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down."

Excursion to Philippine Sights at World's Fair Run Only Few Weeks More.

Until December 1st, Pennsylvania lines run daily excursions to St. Louis. Inquire of Pennsylvania lines ticket agents about fares and features of Pennsylvania trains which add pleasure to World's Fair trip. Get posted by calling on or addressing J. W. Reed, ticket agent.

Herb W. Edwards Injured.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared." For sale by all druggists.

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Instruct my druggist to furnish me one bottle free.

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WEATHER.

Washington, Nov. 8.—For Ohio—Fair tonight, colder in west portion Wednesday.

It may be that we will have to reorganize.

Tomorrow, revision of opinions will be in order.

Tomorrow somebody will know at least as much about salt water as the Russians do.

We congratulate the reading public on the fact that it is all over but the shouting.

No man comes out of this campaign with greater credit to himself than the Hon. W. J. Bryan.

There is no room for Foraker in Cuyahoga county, home of the late Senator Hanna. This means that there will be whole train loads of republican harmony in Ohio in 1905.

Out of it all we may get a sufficient supply of pure soft water. That will atone in a measure for the $94 a year we have to pay the trust protected monopolies for the privilege of living.

If you voted your real convictions you can retire tonight with a clear conscience and without much worry about what will be told you about the result when you arise tomorrow morning.

Should victory perch on the other fellow's banner, the democrats of this nation will have the eternal satisfaction of knowing that their national standard bearer was in every way worthy the support they gave him.

Every once in awhile we read of some state convicting a trust of doing an illegal business, which, now that the election is over verifies Judge Parker's opinion that the "common law if enforced would suppress these evils.

The election over, it can be expected that the Russo-Japanese war will be resumed with excessive activity and slaughter. What a pity it is that that despised old fellow General Apathy cannot take command forever in the far East?

It is a safe prediction that even should Roosevelt be elected today, the time is sure to come when the people will again see to it that the affairs of this government are conducted in their interest and not exclusively as it is now—solely for the privileged few.

While the result is still in doubt, we will wager our republican friends on east High street, one year's subscription to the Times-Democrat, against one year's subscription to the Republican-Gazette, that in case Roosevelt wins, Elder Snoot will be given his seat in the United States Senate.

The republicans who grew angry because several American citizens saw fit to say somethings rather harsh about the man now occupying the White House, and who charge that he was the first president ever assailed while in office, should dope their short memories long enough to go back and recall some of the really nice things the republican press, and republican spellbinders said about Grover Cleveland while he held the fort.

ELECTION RETURNS.

The Times-Democrat invites all its readers especially, and also the general public to come and participate with us in receiving the election returns this evening.

We have our own leased wire, which through the Associated Press, connects this office with every news center in the country, and through which the earliest and the most reliable news of the result will be conveyed to the public.

All bulletins as fast as received will be thrown on a large canvas by a powerful stereopticon, so that thousands can read at once. Everybody welcome.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUB. CO.

SHOWER OE BALLOTS

(Continued from page 1.)

A Shade of Doubt.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 8.—The early voting indicated the heaviest total polling in the history of the state. Ideal weather prevailed. Republicans conceded the defeat of Governor L. F. C. Garvin, (democrat) as possibly doubtful, but claimed the state for Roosevelt and Fairbanks.

They Can Have It.

Portland, Me., Nov. 8.—Main voters were called upon today to ballot only for presidential electors, but the prevalence of desirable weather it was estimated, would bring about a large vote. The state is claimed by the republicans by about 25,000 for Roosevelt and Fairbanks.

New England Landslide.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 8.—Crisp clear weather was reported from all parts of Connecticut, making election day conditions the best in many years. In this city, scores of voters were on hand to cast their ballots when the polls opened. In Hartford, the crush of voters at the opening of voting places was unprecedented, in some wards, 100 men being in line before daylight.

Cold at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 8.—With delightful fair weather and a temperature of forty degrees, there were large numbers of voters at the opening of the polls, indicating a full vote.

Before 11 a. m. more than sixty per cent of the vote of Hamilton county had been cast. Leading republican politicians estimate that Hamilton county will give 28,000 plurality for the republican ticket and that the state plurality will be very nearly 150,000.

Nothing To It.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 8.—Election day in Indiana opened with ideal weather. Reports from all parts of the state show better organization than ever before. Both parties have made elaborate arrangement to get out the full vote. Republican managers are claiming the state by 30,000 with a gain of two congressmen and a safe majority in the legislature.

Reports received from three-fourths of the counties in the state show that one of the heaviest votes in the history of Indiana is being polled. The weather is cold and disagreeable in nearly every vounty. In many towns one-fourth of the vote had been polled at 2 o'clock and at noon one-half had been polled.

Quaker City Like.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Election day opened clear and cool in this city. There was no apparent rush to get to the polls and little attempt was made to bring out the full vote by either the republicans or democrats. There is no semblance of a contest in Philadelphia which doubtless accounts for the apathy shown by the two big parties.

Chicago's Special Features.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Election day dawned with sky overcast, but with small prospect of rain while the temperature was a happy medium, neither hot nor cold. Indications early in the day pointed to a heavy vote. There are local questions in addition to the national and state tickets, upon which the voters of Chicago and Cook county, regardless of party faith have been importuned to register their wills, chief of which is a proposed constitutional amendment that would enable the legislature to grant the city a new charter. The first hour of voting showed a lively interest in the business of the day.

Many of the early voters left the polls without voting rather than await their turn, intending to return later. The size of the ballot and the amount of scratching done in nearly all the wards rendered the voting rather slow and is expected to make the count tedious.

Detailed reports by wards showed that the vote up to 10 o'clock was in many instances over fifty per cent of the registered ward strength.

The first voting machine to be tested in Chicago was put in commission and attracted much attention. Persons who feared to risk their vote with the machine were provided with the regular ballot. From fifteen seconds to one minute was the time consumed in voting by the machines.

Because of Enthusiasm.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 8.—In Baltimore, the polls opened at six o'clock this morning at which hour many voters were already at the precinct booths ready to cast their ballots. Reports indicate that the vote will be heavy in city and state in consequence of the campaign enthusiasm aroused during the past week and of the fine weather that prevails.

Heavy Vote.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 8.—The vote in this city was very heavy during the early hours of the day, probably owing to the new law closing the polls at 4 o'clock. The scratching of tickets was almost general. Weather cool and partly cloudy.

By noon it was generally believed that two-thirds of the entire vote of the city had been cast. Throughout the morning long lines of voters were waiting patiently before the booths to prepare their ballots. At a number of booths it is reported that many workingmen left before casting their ballots because of the fear that they would be late in reaching their place of employment.

Will Make Them Famous.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 8.—The battle opened in Milwaukee with a rush this morning. The weather while cloudy, was mild. The early vote was heavy. Voting machines are used throughout the city. While many voted straight tickets, a large number divided their votes. There is intense interest in Milwaukee county and a close election is expected between the republicans, democrats and social democrats.

Roosevelt By Lamplight.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 8.—The early voting in St. Paul was done by lamplight as the booths opened at six o'clock while it was still dark. The voting was brisk from the start. The weather is clear.

May Be Correct.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8.—Reports from two lower counties in this state are to the effect that a heavy vote is being polled. Very little cutting is being done, the vote for Chandler who was the original regular republican candidate and who is now running independent, being small. This would indicate that the republicans will carry the state for both Roosevelt and Lea.

No Votes Being Cast.

Camden, N. J., Nov. 8.—The heaviest vote in the history of Camden county is being polled by both the republicans and democrats. There is practically no cutting being done Roosevelt and Stokes running about even. One arrest was made early in the day for illegal voting. In Woodlynn, a suburb of Camden, no votes have been cast because of a factional fight. One faction has the ballots and the other the ballot box. There is a hot fight in this city between Ellis republican, and Nowry, democrat, for mayor.

The Balmy South.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 8—Good weather prevails all over Mississippi today and the leaders are hoping for a large vote. The polls will close at six o'clock this evening. The democrats will have their usual majority.

Seventy-five Arrests.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 8—The weather is cool and clear and indications point to one of the heaviest votes ever polled in this city. When the polls opened this morning, hundreds of voters stood in line to cast their ballots and the greatest interest is manifested. Over 75 arrests were made by 9 o'clock.

Mustering Forces.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 8—Election day opened with the weather fair and crisp. Alarm calls sent out by the democratic committee will apparently bring out a large city vote. Republicans are mustering their entire forces.

Considered Democratic.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 8—The weather in central Texas was fair today and it is believed that this immediate section of the state will poll a representative vote on account of the urgent appeal made yesterday by the political leaders for every body to vote.

Commenced Before Sun Up.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 8—The day dawned cool and clear. Voting began at six o'clock, before the sun was up and a heavy vote was cast in the first two hours. Dunn, the republican candidate for governor was out very generally.

Regarded as Favorable.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 8—Clear weather prevailed throughout the state when voting began. This is regarded as favorable to the republican ticket. In statements issued last night, both state chairmen announced themselves satisfied with their campaign and expect favorable results.

Positively Fruit.

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—The weather throughout California today was perfect and a big vote will be polled. The republican managers now claim that Roosevelt's plurality may reach 65,000. The democrats are not giving figures.

Much Scratching.

Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 8—When the polls opened today the weather here was clear and pleasant. Nearly all precincts report a heavy vote during the morning. There was much scratching.

Four Ballots.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—Election day is fine, the sun shining brightly. There is much delay in casting the vote because of the number of ballots, there being four here, one for bond issue and one for filtration plants.

Interest In Congress.

Dayton, O., Nov. 8.—The early vote in this city was very heavy and despite the cool weather a full vote is expected. Interest centers chiefly in the close congressional contest.

Another Ideal Day.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—With an ideal day for the election the vote in Columbus so far has been the heaviest in the history of the city. In some of the larger east side precincts 75 per cent of the vote was cast before noon. In all, Columbus had a registration of approximately 38,100. It is expected that at least 36,500 of these will be cast, which will be ten per cent heavier than any previous vote. There is an unusually large amount of scratching and it is impossible to forecast the result upon the county ticket, though the county will probably give Roosevelt a good majority.

The democrats are claiming in the county, Badger, for congress; Guthke for treasurer, and the coroners. The chances are best for their winning the first and last. Four ballots are being used, the regular ballot, school board ballot and one for a bond issue and another upon a gas franchise proposition. This preponderence of tickets was expected to delay the vote materially, but it has not interferred apparently as yet.

One-third of the normal vote was cast in this city by 9 o'clock, indicating that the city will go for Roosevelt and that probably Congressman Badger, democrat, will be defeated. Reports from democratic counties throughout the state show that Roosevelt is running ahead of his ticket. A unusually heavy vote is being cast throughout the state.

In the thirteenth district, no democrats report indicate the possible election of Grant E. Mouser, republican of Marion, for congress.

Reports from the rural districts indicate that a heavy vote was also polled there during the forenoon. Ideal weather is reported throughout Ohio.

In the third and fifteenth districts the congressional fights are hotly contested.

Put Out the Eagle.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 8.—Reports from all over the state say that the farmers are scratching Dawson, republican for governor, to the extent that the election of Cornwell is assured.

Unless the scratching of Dawson results in many ballots being thrown out it is believed that Roosevelt will carry the state with a majority equal to that of McKinley.

Heaviest Ever.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 8.—At democratic headquarters the statement is given out that the vote would be the largest ever gotten out in the state. From every point the voting was reported as quiet but earnest on both sides. The weather is cool and very cloudy, throughout the state. Rain fell here before noon. The democrats claim the election of Cornwell for governor and the election of three of the five congressmen.

Will Pass All Records.

Norwalk, Nov. 8.—The weather here today is ideal for election. A large vote was polled early and indications are that the total vote today will exceed all previous records.

At Dick's Home.

Akron, O., Nov. 8.—Voters came out early in this city and are quietly casting their ballots. Otherwise the election is very quiet. A large vote is predicted in the county, owing to the fine weather and large republican gains are predicted. Senator Chas. Dick voted at 8 o'clock, and to an Associated Press representative raised his former estimate of 70,000 plurality in Ohio to nearly, or altogether, 100,000.

"A conservative poll from all of the counties showed a republican plurality of 96,000, and I believe now that those figures will be reached," he said.

Scrap Over School Board.

Canton, O., Nov. 8.—Weather is clear and favorable, and the vote in Canton is being cast early, nearly half of it being in at 9 o'clock. The principal contest in the city is on the school board, on which there is much scratching.

Trouble in Black Belt.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 8.—In the 23 counties of Maryland, the polls opened at 8 o'clock this morning, and will close at six o'clock this evening. The weather in every part of the state is favorable to bringing out a very large vote and a despatch from the counties indicates that both parties are polling their full strength. The election is proceeding quietly though there is extraordinary activity among both democrats and republicans in getting voters to the polls. Dispatches from the southern counties constituting the "Black Belt" of Maryland, are to the effect that many illiterate negroes are finding difficulty in voting the complicated ballot.

Indian Summer.

Des Moines, Nov. 8.—Almost indian summer weather marked the dawn of election day here. A large early vote was cast. The weather promises to continue fair.

Sun Shines as Usual.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 8.—Voting began at seven o'clock with indications that a heavy vote would be cast. The weather was beautiful.

May Go Democratic.

Pittsburg, Nov. 8.—Several hours after the polls opened today it was discovered that many of the voters were not marking their ballots correctly, owing to a change in the form of the ballot, which was not understood and the result will be that the congressional, legislative and county candidates of all parties will run behind the presidential candidates. It is said that up to noon, thousands of the ballots cast were marked for the national candidates only and will not be counted for the state congressional or local candidates. The mistake, however, will only affect the total vote. Toward noon the vote became heavier and the indications were that the usual vote will be polled in Allegheny county.

ELECTION RETURNS RECEIVED AT THE OAK BY SPECIAL WIRE.

RETURNS WILL BE SLOW.

COLUMBUS, O., NOV. 8.—IT IS EXPECTED THAT STATE ELECTION RETURNS WILL COME IN SLOWLY TONIGHT. THERE ARE 4,013 PRECINCTS, OF WHICH 703 ARE NEW. THE LONG BALLOT AND THE ADDITIONAL TIME TO MAKE THE TABULATION IS EXPECTED TO GREATLY RETARD THE RETURNS.

HURLED TO DEATH.

Steubenville, O., Nov. 8.—Three workmen were instantly killed early today in a buggy used to wrap a wire cable on the new Steubenville suspension bridge. The rope supporting the buggy broke, throwing it against a pier and hurling the men to death on the ground below.

Uncle Sam—The cause of good constitutional government is in your hands, Mr. Voter, and that means a vote for the Democratic ticket.

BOX SOCIAL

And Basket Ball Games at the Y. M. C. A.

An old time box social at the Y. M. C. A., Wednesday evening, Nov. 9th, will be enjoyed by a large number of young people. There are now seventy-five boxes promised each to be accompanied by one of Lima's fair young ladies.

At 7:30 o'clock, preceding the social, two games of basket ball have been arranged for all those who desire to attend. Admission will be free. The first game will be between the Lima College and the Lima Business College. The second will be between McIlride's and Jellard's teams, of the clerk's league. They will both be exciting games, and as no admission is charged a large crowd is looked for.

When You Have a Bad Cold.

You want a remedy that will not only give quick relief but effect a permanent cure.

You want a remedy that will relieve the lungs and keep expectoration easy.

You want a remedy that will counteract any tendency toward pneumonia.

You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these requirements and for the speedy and permanent cure of bad colds stands without a peer. For sale by all druggists.

THE MARKETS.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Cattle, receipts 3,000, including 1,600 westerns; market strong; good to prime steers 6.10@7; poor to medium $2.50@6; stockers and feeders $2.10@4.15; cows $1.50@4.60; heifers $1.80@5.50; canners $1.35@2.10; bulls $2@4.15; calves $3@7; western steers $2.85@5.40.

Hogs, receipts 18,000; market strong, mixed and butchers $4.80@5.25; good to choice heavy $4.55@5.15; rough heavy $4.65@4.80; light $4.75@5.05; bulk of sales $4.80@5.

Sheep, receipts 15,000, sheep lower, lambs steady to 10c higher, good to choice wethers $4.25@4.75; fair to choice mixed $3.50@4.25; native lambs $4.10@5.75.

Cleveland Produce.

Cleveland, Nov. 8.—Butter, creamery extras 25 to 25½; state and western 22 to 24c; process 20 to 21; dairy 19 to 20; packing stock 12 to 13½; prints 1 cent higher. Poultry fowls 9 to 9½; chickens 9½ to 10 cents; ducks colored 12c; white 13c; turkeys 15 to 16c; geese 12 to 13. No other changes in the produce market.

Released Under Bond.

A paternity charge, prepared by Annie Humphreys against Frank Bushey, has brought the latter into common pleas court under $500 bond. The transcript was prepared by Justice M. R. Ridenour, of Sugar Creek township, where the complainant resides.

All druggists guarantees every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to any one who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov1-4m

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WANTED—Ten good men at Gegier & Wilheim's stone quarry. Apply at once. 29-3t

WANTED—An industrious boy who wants to work in printing office. Steady employment. Enquire at once at Times-Democrat. 1-6t*

WANTED—Two experienced waitresses. Wages eighteen dollars per month, room and board. Apply at Norval Hotel. tf

WANTED—Catholic installment agents for entirely new plan in country territory never worked before. Get out of old rut. F. J. Casey, 334 Dearborn street, Chicago. 7-wed-8t

WANTED—100 industrious girls to learn cigar making. Girls well paid while learning. Apply at American Cigar Co., corner Main and Elm streets. 9-1m

WE BUY old gold and silver. It's the same to us as money in purchase of goods. Macdonald & Co., 135 north Main street. 43-tf

HELP WANTED—MALE—Circulars and sample distributors wanted everywhere. No canvassing. Good pay. Cooperative Adv. Co., N. Y.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Organ. Cheap or will exchange for No. 1 bicycle. L. M. Albright, General Delivery. 2-3t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath and furnace heat at 429 west Wayne street. 5-3t

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for ladies or gentlemen. Heat, soft water, bath and privilege of phone. Inquire at 116 north West street. 2-2t

FOR RENT—Desirable office rooms in the Masonic building. Inquire of R. L. Bates, the Buckeye Pipe Line Co. office. 16-8t-mon&tu

FOR RENT—Two choice office rooms heated and lighted. Excellent location. Enquire of F. M. Foye, 65 Public Square. 18-6t.

Houses for rent in all parts of city from $5.00 to $35 per month. Some nice houses on west Market, Spring and Elm streets, also for sale.
FOYE—The Real Estate Man,
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MISCELANEOUS.

MRS. F. H. VON, Psychic, palmist and life character reader, is at the Lima House. Readings, Ladies 50c, gentlemen $1.00. No Sunday readings. 13-tf.

LOST.

LOST—Last Saturday a pair of double glasses on west High, or north Main street. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 415 west Market street. 3-3t-*

LOST—A locket between Elizabeth street and Metcalf street. Finder please leave at this office. 18-tf

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LOCAL

Teams Met This Afternoon

On the Gridiron

At the Driving Association Grounds

Championship of the City May Be Decided In This Contest

And the Winning Eleven May Be Taken Up as the Representative Lima Team—Field and Indoor Sports.

The foot ball team organized by Police Clerk Owen to meet the collegiates at the Driving Park grounds this afternoon, was greatly strengthened by two old-time players from Wapakoneta and two from Spencerville. The line up of the team looked formidable enough, but lack of signal practice and team work was counted off as favoring the collegiates under Coach McLaughlin.

The latter had the pick of the talent as the several college boys on the team had been through the game, and are out tested and tried. They were strengthened by several of the members of the strong city team which made a reputation for Lima a few years ago, and the squad feels confident now of being able to meet some of the strongest opponents the north-west has to offer. Arrangements are being made for a game a week from Saturday

Celina Shut Out.

Clever team work on the part of Delphos enabled the foot ball aggregation of the canal town to make a clean scoop of the Celina bunch the score resulting 47 to 0 in the game last Sunday. Celina sent a strong bunch of rooters along with the team for encouragement from the line and help the team to victory

A Game For Friday

The White Star basket ball team will no doubt be the attraction again at the auditorium Friday evening with the extra inducement of a dance after the game. A strong independent team has challenged the Stars [illegible] to be made from the fastest players of the city and the contest [illegible] to be closer than the game with the [illegible] last Friday. It is [illegible] just now to arrange for games with outside teams owing to the interest taken in foot ball but after [illegible] the indoor sport will [illegible] a bid for patronage with the White Stars offering an open challenge to any amateur team in the [illegible]

ATHLETIC TEAMS

Organized By the Members of Y M C A Junior Classes.

The elementary junior teams of the Y M C A are now ready for [illegible] in squads of five each [illegible] at a meeting Saturday morning [illegible] in charge of their [illegible] the teams will engage in [illegible] of basket ball, dodge ball [illegible] work relay races etc and an [illegible] competition [illegible] teams chosen include the following athletes

Team No 1—Arthur [illegible] Capt [illegible] Harmon Kibby Norbert [illegible] Row Dolling

Team No 2—Ralph Geiser Capt [illegible] Selfridge Herbert B [illegible] Lin[illegible]met Carlin, Harold Seymour

Team No 3—Charles Applas, Capt Willis Conelly, Leon Miller, Benj Motter, Edward Stolzenbach

Team No 4—Willard Ohler Capt., Dudley Henderson, Butler Longsworth John Carnes Thomas Laney.

Team No 5—Robert Baker, Capt., Geo MacDonald Harry Homer Harry Buchanan, Carl Isham

Team No 6—Geo Harrison, Capt., Roger Boose, Lowell Phillips Walter Rowlands, Harry Richmond.

Every boy whose name appears on the list has been cautioned not to weaken his brain by his absence on regular class days, Tuesdays at 4 p m and Saturdays at 9 a m. It is also urged that boys whose names do not appear, and who are members of the Y M C A attend the class work and become members of other teams that will be organized whenever there is a demand for them

There is still a chance to make up [illegible] athletic tests in both junior classes. After December first a test missed from any other cause than sickness cannot be made up

All members of the advanced class of juniors interested in forming teams are requested to be at the gymnasium Saturday morning at 10 30. There will be a basket ball game at 10 10 between the intermediates and juniors

Findlay Defeated Kenton.

Findlay High school went through the [illegible] of Kenton's foot ball squad without any trouble Saturday and won by a score of 23 to 5. Kenton's lone touch down was made after a run of 70 yards by Capt Schultz and was allowed by both referees and umpire after a long winded protest on the part of Findlay

MACCABEES

Of Banner Tent Held a Good Meeting Last Night.

Banner Tent No 356 of the Maccabees last evening met at the Old Masonic Temple hall. The meeting was very enthusiastic and interesting. Quite a number from tents in other states and cities were present, and all at request of the commander responded in a brief and pointed address. A number who had fallen out through misunderstanding, were readmitted to membership and the sky is very bright for old "356"

A POLICEMAN'S TESTIMONY.

J N Patterson, night policeman of Nashua, Ia writes "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world"

H F Vortkamp and Wm Melville

PURCHASE PARK.

Columbus, O, Nov 8—The Columbus baseball company, owners of the American Association franchise here, has purchased Neil Park for $41 000 It is the present location of the American Association grounds, and will be used next year by the association The property consists of eight and a half acres

ELECTION RETURNS RECEIVED AT THE OAK BY SPECIAL WIRE.

REMOVAL SALE OF MILLINERY. 10 OFF ON TRIMMED HATS. FERRY B. STANYER, 221 SOUTH MIAN STREET 1-4t-e-o-d

If You Win Make It a Guyer Hat.

MICHAEL'S, SOLE AGENTS.

FORMER

Pastor of the Wayne Street Church of Christ.

Has Accepted a Call to the Pastorate of the Church of Christ at Marietta, Ohio.

Evangelist W A Brundige is home this week at 529 west North street, and is busy packing goods

By a pressing invitation on the part of the state board and also the pulpit supply committee, and a unanimous voice of the First Church of Christ, of Marietta, Ohio, to become its pastor, he has accepted and will move to that city at once Mr. Brundige has visited the field and speaks in the highest terms of the work there and predicts good things for the future to Marietta church

Mr. Brundigo just closed a very successful meeting of two weeks and a half at Mowerystown, O, with twenty-three added, two of which confessed the Christ at the age of 66 and 78 years There were seven at the last night's service

While the local friends of Mr and Mrs. Brundige are sorry they are to leave Lima, all will send with them, their best wishes.

DEMOCRATS ELECT PART

Of Their County Ticket in Chicago. The State Is Safe for Roosevelt.

Chicago, Nov 9—Republican State Chairman West said:

"While the polls in the rural districts do not close until six o'clock, I am confident that they have given President Roosevelt a large majority It has been a republican day I am confident that the republicans have elected their entire state ticket, a majority of both branches of the legislature and at least nineteen of the 25 congressmen."

Roger C Sullivan, democratic national committeeman from Illinois said

"The voting is over in Chicago and I believe the count will show that the democrats have elected a part of the county ticket. I never claimed that Judge Parker would carry Illinois"

TWO CASES

Of Smallpox Reported to the Health Department.

Two new cases of small pox have been reported to health officer Dr [illegible] one having developed yesterday and the other this morning The patients are John Philian, of north Park avenue and Miss Daisy Johnson of 645 north McDonel street

There is no information in possession of the health officer as to the origin of either case

PENNSYLVANIA ENGINEER SHOT.

Philadelphia Nov 8—John Kerr aged 27 years of the Pennsylvania Sweep & Smelting company was killed today by a robber while attempting to save a fellow workman from being murdered David Rikle, engineer for the company came on two young men robbing freight cars He attempted to catch them when one of the robbers drew a revolver, and just as he pulled the trigger, Kerr jumped between the burglar and Rikle The ball entered Kerr's breast killing him The robers escaped.

RAILROADER DEAD.

Rochester N Y, Nov 8—J H Barrett general superintendent of the Buffalo Rochester and Pittsburg R R died at his residence here today aged 58 years Mr Barrett was at different times general superintendent of the following roads Ft Wayne Erie & C and Ohio Southern the Southern railway system and the Chicago and Alton

Best Jackson Domestic Lump Coal, per ton $3 75 Central Coal Co Both phones. 89-tf

ELECTION RIOT.

New York, Nov. 8.—The reserves of the Eldridge Street police station was called out this afternoon to quell a riot at the polling place in Forsyth street. A quarrel between two men wh ocrowded the polling place had become general and policemen stationed there were powerless. The mob dispersed when the reserves arrived and order was soon restored. Only one arrest was made.

PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE IT.

Many broad minded physicians prescribe Foley's Honey and Tar, as they have never found so safe and reliable a remedy for throat and lung trouble as this great medicine There is no other cough medicine so popular Contains no opiates or poisons and never fails to cure coughs and colds. Refuse substitutes H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

ELECTION RETURNS RECEIVED AT THE OAK BY SPECIAL WIRE.

JUST

Legislation of the Routine Kind

Was Taken Up

At Last Night's Session of the Council.

Some Railroad Street Crossings to Be Constructed Anew.

City Engineer Reports Estimates on Cost of Proposed Widening of Ottawa River Bridge Spans.

At last night's session of the city council all members of the body were present except Mr Smith, who was ill

Minutes of the last regular and special sessions were read and approved

Remonstrances against assessments for a new sewer in west Wayne street were referred to the engineer and solicitor.

Application of Col Hobart for facilities for water and sewer connections at the C. & L. M depot, on Grand avenue, was referred to the sewer committee.

The matter of providing better sewer facilities for the relief of property in the vicinity of High street intersections with Elizabeth and West streets was again discussed, but no solution of the problem was found, the depleted condition of the city's sewer fund being one of the principal obstacles to overcome

Engineer Gamble submitted his estimates of the cost of the proposed widening of the city's bridge spans over the Ottawa river, the estimates aggregating between $25,000 and $30,000 to say nothing of the approximate cost of widening the river channel. The report was received and filed

The engineer reported the Shawnee bridge to be in an unsafe condition

Resolution appropriating money to pay the cost of registration in the city and to pay O'Connell & Tobin's claim of $50 for injury to a delivery horse that fell into an open sewer trench, was adopted

Resolution to build a sewer in Atlantic avenue was adopted

Ordinances requiring the Detroit Southern, L E & W and C H & D railroad companies to put in a number of new crossings under the supervision of the city's engineering department were passed

Resolution for the construction of a sewer in Nye street, from Elm street to the Ottawa river was adopted

THIRTEEN MEMBERS OF

Columbus High School Suspended For Playing a Ringer Against Toledo High School.

Columbus, O, Nov 8—Thirteen members of the north high school foot ball team, together with Prof Man, teacher of mathematics who accompanied the team, have been suspended by the faculty for having played a 'ringer' in their game with Toledo high school, October 29th, which was lost by the locals 30 to 0 The 'ringer' was Stanley Brown member of last years team who played a sensational game at Toledo

IN MOMENT OF AWAKENING

Laudanum Poisoned Man Said He Had Taken Drug to Produce Sleep.

Columbus, O Nov 8—Alfred S McCloy who disappeared last night, was found today in the second story of the machine shops wher he had been employed unconscious with a bottle half filled with laudanum by his side He was taken to Mt Carmel hospital and may die In a moment of consciousness McCloy said he had taken the laudanum because he wanted to sleep He had been drinking, and it is believed he was despondent because he had taken a pledge kept for two years

COLUMBUS AND RETURN $1.00.

From Wapakoneta, next Sunday via Ohio Central lines.

DEATH TO CONTRACTOR.

Charleston, Nov 8—The collapse of a scaffolding today, resulted in the death of a white contractor and the serious injury of three colored workmen, one of whom may die They fell ofrty feet to the ground.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no griping or other unpleasant effect. Sold by all druggists.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits.

We have the prettiest Silk Suits in Lima. Made from soft guaranteed taffeta, colors black, brown and navy, plain and changeable silk, price $18.00.

This Scott Bustle and Hip Form.

The only satisfaction giving invention on the market. We've sold hundreds of them and all wearers sound their praise, 25c and 50c.

Satin Girdle Corsets.

Blue, white and pink, 50c. We sell all the American Lady, Royal Worcester, R. & G. and other popular brands at 50c and $1.00.

Coats and Furs.

For ladies and children in the newest styles, at from $1.75 to $32.50. We are the bargain givers in this line. Take a look

Rain Coats.

Lot of new ones just come in, prices from $10 to $19.50. Every lady should have a rain coat, and we want to sell you one. Can we?

Ladies' Shirts.

Not a shirt waist, but a regular shirt. This cut shows one of them on a form. You can't help but like them; prices $2 and $2.50.

Silk and Mercerized Petticoats.

All colors, prices from $1 to $12. The kind we sell gives entire satisfaction. Don't buy until you see our line.

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Lima's Leading Ready to Wear Garment House.

134 North Main Street.

LIMA

Members of the U. R., K. O. T. M.

Receive Notice

Of the Death of One of the Sir Knights.

Guy Hanley, Formerly an Employe at the L. E. & W. R. R. Shops.

Fatally Crushed by the Wheels of a C. H. & D. Freight Train at Versailles, O., Sunday Evening.

The officers and members of the local division of the Uniform Rank, Knights of the Maccabees, have been notified of the tragic death of one of the members of their organization, Guy W Hanley, formerly of this city, who lost his life Sunday evening and whose remains are now at the home of his widowed mother, Mrs. Margaret Hanley, in Delphos

The members of Lima Division, U R, K O T M, will meet at the Latham restaurant, on south Main street, at 7 30 o'clock this evening, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of the deceased Sir Knight, at Delphos, tomorrow afternoon. The members will leave here at 12 15 o'clock tomorrow on the Lima-Delphos Traction line car and will attend the funeral in a body, the arrangements being made to hold the services at Delphos at 2 o'clock.

The deceased was about 24 years of age and was for some time, employed at the L E & W shops in this city. While here he became a member of Banner Tent No 356, Knights of the Maccabees, and also joined the uniform rank of that order and the Young Men's Christian association He left Lima about a year ago, and returning to his home in Delphos, took a position as a brakeman on the Delphos and Dayton branch of the C, H, & D He left his home last Saturday afternoon and came to this city and then went to Dayton from here and on Sunday left Dayton on a work train. While he and the others of the train crew were doing some switching at Versailles about 8 o'clock Sunday evening he, in some manner, fell between two cars and was fatally crushed under the wheels, his death occurring 35 minutes after he was found on the track

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Whether you will be among the fortunate ones to profit by our bargains

Among Them Are

A large line of WORK BASKETS and WASTE PAPER BASKETS at all prices. Come while assortment is complete. The number is limited

Also a fine line of ARTIFICIAL DECORATIVE PALMS that enliven and beautify your home without overtaxing the house-wife with extra cares and duties

There Are Others.

See our line and get our prices before buying. The best of everything at the lowest prices.

The Famous 99c Store,

124 North Elizabeth St., Between P. O. and Y. M. C. A. Building.

RELEASED AND BANISHED.

St Petersburg, Nov 8—3 24 p m—Mary Figner, who has been confined in the fortress here for twenty years has been released and banished to Archangel, Northern Russia The woman was condemned to life imprisonment for participation in nihilist conspiracies She waved her band as a signal indicating the approach of Alexander II when he was assassinated She secured a commutation of her sentence to twenty years imprisonment

Mrs John Wesley, St Louis.—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest tonic I have ever used; cured me of chronic stomach trouble. 35c, tea or tablets H F. Vortkamp.

What's the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels, the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active Burdock Blood Bitters does it

PERSONAL MENTION

P H Gallagher, of the government printing office in Washington, D C, is home to vote

Mrs Philip Dingledine, of south Pine street, has returned from a visit with friends in Columbus

Mrs. Emma Crumline, of Westminster, O, Mrs A A Llewellyn and Miss Julia Leonard, of south Main street, have returned from a visit to the world's fair.

BULLETIN.

Boston, Nov. 8.—The first town in Massachusetts to report the result of today's election was Mashpee, in the fourteenth congressional district. The vote for president was:

Parker 2; Roosevelt 59.

In 1900 the vote of the town was: Bryan 3; McKinley 55.

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TEDDY

Went All the Way Down

To Oyster Bay

To Cast His Vote for Teddy.

Special Tugs and Special Trains Saw That He Made Connections.

And Had His Wish to Support Protection. His Home Coming Was Made Gala Occasion by His Neighbors.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 8.—President Roosevelt arrived in Jersey City at 7:12 o'clock this morning on his way to Oyster Bay, Long Island, where he will vote.

A special tug, with the president and his party aboard, started for Long Island City at 7:23.

President Roosevelt arrived at Long Island City at 7:56 where he awaited the departure of a special train for Oyster Bay which was scheduled to leave Long Island City at 8:45 a. m.

President Roosevelt and his party arrived here at 9:41 a. m. today on a special train from Long Island City. President Roosevelt was driven directly from the station in the carriage of Mrs. J. West Roosevelt to the polling place in the fifth precinct of Oyster Bay. There he cast his ballot, No. 165.

The polling place is located in the second story of the Fisher Building in East Main Street. The president was received with enthusiasm by an immense crowd. He sprang briskly from the carriage and ran up stairs, entered the polling place and shook hands with the judges of the election. He was given his ballot and retired immediately to one of the booths, remaining in it scarcely more than half a minute. As he came out and handed his ballot to the judge, a photograph was taken. As he turned away from the ballot box he was cordially greeted by many old friends and acquaintances who had gathered to see him. Descending the stairs he entered the carriage with Mrs. J. West Roosevelt and went for a drive. As he drove away the crowd cheered him enthusiastically.

The president's reception at the station was notably cordial. The station building had been decorated with flags and bunting and a crowd of several hundred people had assembled to greet him. He was greeted with cheers and the waving of flags as he left his car.

At Long Island City the president was joined by several friends, among them being F. C. Travers, W. E. Roosevelt and his daughter, Miss Christine Roosevelt and Alexander Russell, Jr. At Richmond Hill Jacob Riis boarded the train and came to Oyster Bay with him. At Jamaica W. J. Youngs, United States district attorney for the southern district of New York, also joined the party.

Secretary Loeb, who accompanied the president, voted in the seventh district. The party left here for New York at eleven o'clock, being given a hearty farewell greeting by a large number of the president's friends and neighbors who had gathered at the station.

THE DECORATIONS.

Two well-known men about town were discussing a new club house which had recently been built at great cost, says Harper's Weekly. One of the men had just been inspecting the new building.

"What style did you say it was decorated in?" asked the other.

Teh man who had seen the interior reflected a moment. "I think it was either Late Pullman or Early North German Lloyd," he replied.

A BIBLE YELL.

The Bible study class of the Bellefontaine (Ohio) Young Men's Christian association has invented a "yell" for itself which it uses on all occasions, though just why a Bible class needs such a thing is not explained. The call is composed of the first syllables of the names of the minor prophets of the Old Testament, combined thus:

Ho, Jo, Am, Ob, Jo, Mi, Na.
Ha, Ze, Ha, Ze, Ma
Bible study! Bible study!
Y .M. C. A.—Ah-h-h-h!

On the whole, the familiarity with the scriptures doesn't seem to breed respect or rythm in Bellefontaine, O.—Boston Transcript.

Futility.

The wise man studies night and day
And never seeks to shirk his task.
Yet cannot answer, sooth to say,
The question his small boy can ask.
—Washington Star.

A CABINET OFFICER'S SAVINGS.

Washington Cor. Brooklyn Eagle—A group of administration officials were discussing a rumor that a certain public man had recently refused to consider a position in the cabinet on account of the expense involved, when one of those present was induced to give his views as to the cost of living as a government official at Washington. This man has been through the mill of social official entertaining for seven years, is a keen observer and can speak with authority. He said:

"All this talk about people refusing to accept positions in the cabinet and declining congressional nominations on the plea that it costs too much to live decently in Washington makes me tired. It is nonsense for nine-tenths of the people to make a claim of this sort, for nine-tenths of the officials in Washington not only live within their salary income, but actually save money. I know as a positive fact that Secretary Wilson, Secretary Hitchcock and Attorney General Moody all save a part of their $8000 annual salary. And there is no reason why they shouldn't and at the same time they all fulfill their social obligations. Secretary Hay spends a good deal more than his government pay, and so did Mr. Root when he was in the cabinet. It is likely that Secretary Taft will do the same thing when he gets into the local swim.

"There is a very general misapprehension as to the cost of official entertaining in Washington. A good, formal dinner may be given here as cheaply as at any place in the country, and a good deal cheaper than in many big cities. Any cabinet officer who spends $1000 a year in entertaining does a good deal more than what is actually required in this line. Each member of the cabinet is supposed to give at least one cabinet dinner during the season, at which the president is the guest of honor, and several others are invited. A dinner of this kind, served in the best style, may be given at a cost of between $250 and $350.

"A public reception of the kind that the wife of a cabinet officer is supposed to give on New Year's day, will not cost over $100. Light refreshments will require an outlay of $50, flowers will take another $25 and the same sum will provide for all the incidental expenses. A cabinet officer's wife must have three or four more evening dresses than she would ordinarily buy in a season, and of course if she has young daughters at home, there is some additional expense on their account. But all told, a person may live as an official in Washington and discharge all his social and official obligations almost as cheaply as he could as a private citizen. It is nonsense to say that a cabinet officer cannot live decently on his $8000 a year. There are certain perquisites that go with the office which help to cut down expenses. Carriages are furnished for himself and family, he gets free transportation, and a lot of other favors that tend to cut down the annual expense account."

A SURE THING.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanFettre, of Shepherdtown, W. Va., says: "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but go no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, Druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, $1.00.

ATTENTION ELKS.

ELECTION RETURNS WILL BE RECEIVED BY SPECIAL WIRE AT THE LODGE ROOMS ON TUESDAY NIGHT. FOR ELKS ONLY. 20-4t

That awful grinding, stabbing pain in the back is from the kidneys. A dose of Pineules will cure it over night. Pineules is a new discovery put up in a new way. A delightful remedy and specific for all kidney and bladder troubles. H. F. Vortkamp, druggist.

EXCURSION RATES ACCOUNT OF THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS, Via. DETROIT SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

To all points in C. P. A. territory within a distance of 150 miles of selling station at one and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets on sale Nov. 23rd and 24th., final return limit Nov. 28th. For further particulars, see Detroit Southern agents or address F. G. Gowing, Acting G. P. A., Detroit, Michigan.

The Exact Thing Required for Constipation.

"As a certain purgative and stomach purifier Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets seem to be the exact thing required, strong enough for the most robust, yet mild enough and safe for children and without that terrible griping so common to most purgatives," say R. S. Webster & Co., Udora, Ontario, Canada. For sale by all druggists.

Usually the Case.

I saved a book of trading tsamps,
Was told I'd win a prize;
But now I know the tales I heard
Were just a pack of lies.

FOR

Miles People Came to Attend

The Funeral

Of the Late Archbishop Elder.

Thousands Would Have Pushed Way Into Cathedral Had It Been Possible.

It Was the Most Impressive Funeral Service for a Catholic Clergyman Ever Held in the United States.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 8.—The funeral service for the late Archbishop Wm. H. Elder, took place at St. Peter's Cathedral in this city today. From the beginning when the long line of clergy-archbishops, bishops and priests marching in solemn procession from the residence around to the front entrance of the vast auditorium, entered, chanting the laudes, to the final act, when the five absolutions were given to the dead, one obsolution by the highest authority of the church in America, this was the most impressive funeral service for a Catholic clergyman ever held in the United States.

From all parts of this country were assembled priests and prelates, while the people flocked to St. Peters from every town within a radius of ten miles and many came from points more distant. Long before the beginning of the service a crowd of thousands had asembled in the vicinity of the cathedral. When the cathedral doors were opened for those having tickets of admittance, a steady stream poured into the edifice and the seating capacity was soon occupied. Thousands would have pushed their way in had it not been a physical impossibility for more than a few hundred to do so. Of those outside many remained for the conclusion of the service. All the clergy except Cardinal James Gibbon were garbed in black with but a bit of purple to indicate the rank of the deceased. Cardinal Gibbons wore the public robe of his exalted position and occupied a throne on the side of the building.

The late archbishop's throne, now rightfully the place of Archbishop Moeller, was vacant, draped in purple and over the chair was thrown the cappa magna of the dead archbishop.

The high mass of requiem had Archbishop Moeller as celebrant, assisted by Very Rev. Dr. Schoenhoeft, V. G., Rev. August Quattman and Rev. Wm. Hykey, of this diocese. Archbishop John Keene, of Dubuque, Ia., preached the sermon. In it he referred to the vow taken by the deceased when he was ordained as a priest in Rome and called attention to the fullness with which those vows had been kept. Following the sermon came the five solemn absolutions given by Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan, Bishops Maes, Hestin and Allen, each attended by two chaplains. The music of the mass was rendered by the students of St. Mary's Seminary and was the first time in America that the complete Gregorgian chant was given.

The final services at the grave were conducted by Archbishop Moeller, assisted by Revs. Nau and Dutton.

Dr. Dade's Little Liver Pills cure liver ills. H. F. Vortkamp, druggist.

THE HYPERBOLICAL MOSQUITO.

John E. Redmond, in a reception in his honor, was asked for his opinion of the political prophecy that had been printed in a London newspaper.

Mr. Redmond read the prophecy. Then he smiled.

"This," he said, "is hyperbolical. It is as hyperbolical as the mosquito story that a resident of New Jersey told me the other day.

"This gentleman desired to impress upon me the great size and ferocity of the New Jersey mosquitoes. He said:

" 'I had a valuable cow in the spring and usually I kept her in the stable, for the mosquitoes were growing in size and numbers and I feared that they might do her harm.

" 'One hot, cloudy, humid day, though I permitted the cow to pasture in a marshy field. She spent the day in the field. And towards evening I went with one of the farm boys to bring her home to the milking.

" 'Alas! her skeleton lay beneath a tree and on an adjacent fence sat a mosquito picking his teeth with one of her horns.' "—Salt Lake Tribune.

A Woman's Reason.

"Beg pardon," said the postal clerk, "but you don't have to put a 5 cent stamp on a letter to Canada."

"I know," said the sweet girl, "but the shade of it just matches my envelope, you know."—Catholic Standard and Times.

WANTED PAUL TO TELL HIM.

A story is being related of Paul du Chaillu, the one-time African explorer, to this effect: One evening when returning home on foot he observed a man evidently rather the worse for drink, who was engaged in vehemently embracing a lamp post, the explorer started to take him to his home, the location of which the man was still able to remember. Having finally reached their destination, the bibulous one affectionately grasped Paul du Chaillu by the hand, exclaiming in tone of fervent gratitude:

"I shay, ol' feller, youzh all right, Whatsh your—hic—name?"

As the explorer did not particularly care to give his name in full, he merely replied that his name was Paul.

"So it'sh—hic—Paul, ish it?" hiccoughed the man, and then, after some moments of apparent thought, inquired solicitously:

"Shay, ol' man, did y'ever get any—hic—any ansher to those lo-ong lettersh y' wrote to th' Ephesians?"—New York Times.

A novel feeling of leaping, bounding impulses goes through your body. You feel young, act young, and are young after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vortkamp.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Samuel Collins, Plaintiff,
vs.
Harry Rumple, et al., Defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday the 12th day of November, 1904,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock, m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number eleven hundred and twenty-three (1123) in Miller's extended addition to the City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio.

(The same being situate on south Central avenue, house No. 505.)

Appraised at $5,000.00.

Terms: One-third cash, one-third in six months and one-third in one year from date of sale.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 10th, 1904.
Richie & Richie, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio. Case No. 12,052.

In the matter of the application of The Number Three Oil Company for dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of September, A. D., 1904, W. J. Richie was appointed referee in the above entitled action and it was further ordered that all persons interested in said corporation be required to show cause, if any they have, why said corporation should not be dissolved, before said referee at his office in Lima, Ohio, on the 22nd day of December, 1904. And said referee was ordered to proceed on this date and on subsequent dates to which said hearing might be continued to hear the allegations and proofs of such parties and report the same to said court with statements of the property, debts, credits, and engagements of said corporation and all other matters and things pertaining to its affairs.

W. J. RICHIE, Referee.
W. H. LEETE, Attorney.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Union National Bank of Franklinville, N. Y., Plaintiff,
vs.
Arthur J. Morris, et al, Defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 3rd Day of December, 1904,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

In-lots number Thirty-two Hundred and Eighty-two (3282); Thirty-two Hundred and Eighty-three (3283) and Thirty-two Hundred and Eighty-four (3284), in Morris' First Addition to Lima, Allen County, Ohio, except thirty-two (32) feet off of the north ends thereof, and except fifty-three and one-third (53 1-3) feet off of the south ends thereof.

The same being situate on the east side of Madison avenue.

Appraised at $1600.00.

Terms of sale cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 28th, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Joseph Cleary, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1904, Lizzie Cleary filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, her petition against him in case No. 12094, praying that she be divorced from the said Joseph Cleary on the grounds of wilful absence, and also praying for the custody of their minor children and that unless he answer by the 13th day of December, A. D. 1904, judgment on said petition will be taken against him.

LIZZIE CLEARY,
By Adkins & Armstrong, Her Attorneys.
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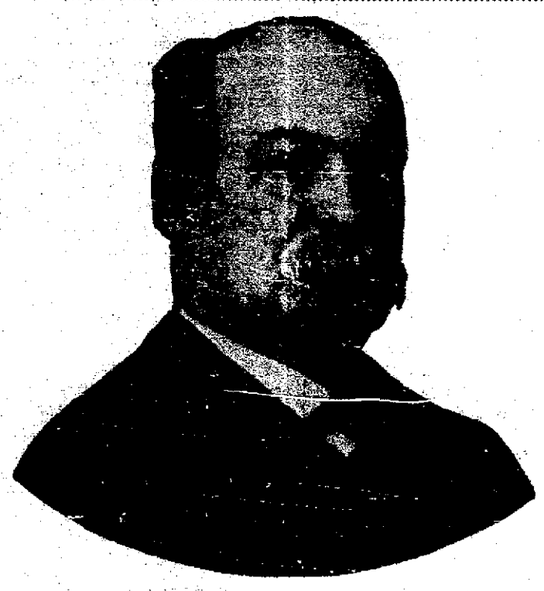

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NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT.

Before J. W. Mowen, justice of the peace, of Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

F. W. Holmes, plaintiff,
vs.
E. H. Barto and J. W. McGowan, partners, doing business as Barto & McGowan, defendants.

On the 6th day of August A. D., 1904, said justice issued an order of attachment in the above action, for the sum of twenty two and 72-100 dollars.

Lima, Ohio, Oct. 1st, 1904.

F. W. HOLMES,
Plaintiff.
By MOTTER, MACKENZIE & WEADOCK, his attorneys.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Benjamin C. Faurot, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Benjamin C. Faurot, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 2nd day of November, A. D., 1904.

JOSHUA M. DAWSON,
Mercantile Library Bldg.
19-3wks Cincinnati, O.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Phillip Metzger,
Plaintiff.
vs.
Rachel Bowyer, et. at.,
Defendants.

By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 3rd day of December, 1904,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Auglaize township, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, towit:

The undivided one-fourth, (¼) interest of S. Kirk, formerly S. McCoy, subject to the life estate of Rachael Bowyer, in the southwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section 29, Auglaize township, Allen County, Ohio, and the northeast quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) and the northwest quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of section 32 in Auglaize township, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $750.00.

Terms of sale, cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 31st, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
17-5t Plaintiff's Attorneys.

MAYOR'S ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

The qualified electors of the city of Lima, State of Ohio, are hereby notified that an election will be held at the usual voting places in said city on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, 1904, between the hours of 5:30 o'clock a. m. and 5:30 p. m., at which election the following officers will be chosen:

Two Justices of the Peace.

One Member of the City Council at large.

Four members of the Board of Education for term of four years each.

Three members of the Board of Education for term of two years each.

One member of the City Council from First ward.

One member of the City Council from the Third ward.

One Assessor from each of the 4 wards.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Lima, this 29th day of October, 1904.

THEO. D. ROBB,
15-tt Mayor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., Plaintiff
vs.
John N. Stratton, et al.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 19th day of November, 1904.

Betwen the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock, m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Situated in the City of Lima, County of Allen, and Stat of Ohio, and known as being inlot number twenty-three hundred and fifty-three (2353) in J. D. Watt's addition to Lima, Ohio, being a lot of land fronting fifty-one (51) feet and two (2) inches on Blaine avenue and extending west one hundred and seventy-two (172) feet and six (6) inches to an alley according to the plat; said lot being two-hundred (200) feet deep by actual measurement.

(The same being situate on the west side of Blaine avenue, south of 3rd street)

Appraised at $850.00.

Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 13, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mary B. Hansel, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Mary B. Hansel, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 21st day of October, A. D., 1904.

Sophia Steinbaugh, Administratrix.
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Wm. M. Melville, Special Agent.

MASQUERADE BALL.

The event of the season will be the Masquerade next Monday night. Prizes will be given, one pair best slippers from Gooding's one pair from Columbia Shoe Store, ladies prizes, comic and fanciest costumes. Two season dance tickets, gentleman's prizes, comic and fanciest. Grand march at 9 o'clock. Music by Frey's. Admission, 50c per couple. Extra ladies 10c.

Erie Railroad

St. Louis Short Line

$8.05 Round Trip.

TRAINS:

Leave Lima	1:32 a. m.
" "	8:41 a. m.
" "	1:36 p. m.
Arrive St. Louis	2:00 p. m.
" "	2:15 p. m.
" "	7:32 a. m.

RETURNING:

Leave St. Louis	9:05 a. m.
" "	10:40 p. m.
Arrive Lima	8:20 p. m.
"	9:32 p. m.
"	12:32 a. m.
"	8:21 a. m.

Trains stop at World's Fair Station.

Tickets sold daily except Friday and Saturday at $8.05 with 7 day limit. 15-day tickets sold daily at $12.25.

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C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

In effect Sunday, Sept. 18th.

No.	South Bound.	
7	Daily, leaves	2:10 a.m.
1	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	9:25 a.m.
11	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	5:30 a.m.
5	Daily, leaves	12:40 p.m.
3	Daily, leaves	4:15 p.m.
9	Daily, leaves	6:10 p.m.
13	Arrives except Sunday	9:30 p.m.
65	Leaves Sunday only	7:10 a.m.
	North Bound.	
12	Daily, leaves	2:25 a.m.
14	Daily, ex. Sunday, leaves	5:30 a.m.
2	Daily, leaves ex. Sunday	8:15 a.m.
6	Daily, leaves	11:55 a.m.
4	Daily, leaves	4:30 p.m.
8	Daily, leaves	7:25 p.m.
10	Daily ex Sunday ar only	9:35 p.m.
60	Sunday only, leaves	7:43 p.m.
68	Sunday only arr. only	9:55 p.m.

ERIE RAILROAD.

No.	East Bound.	
8	Daily	4:05 a.m.
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4	Daily	3:32 p.m.
14	Daily ex. Sunday	9:25 p.m.
10	Daily	10:52 p.m.
	West Bound.	
7	Daily	12:47 a.m.
9	Daily	1:51 a.m.
11	Daily ex. Sunday	8:41 a.m.
3	Daily	11:35 a.m.
13	Daily ex. Sunday	4:38 p.m.

P. F. W. & C.

In effect, May 15, 1904.

No.	East.	
24	Pittsburg Special	12:51 a. m.
6	Daily	7:25 a. m.
16	Daily	9:40 a. m.
30	Daily, Except Sunday	2:15 p. m.
22	Daily	6:55 p. m.
8	Daily	9:30 p. m.
2	Daily Limited	11:09 p.m.
	West.	
15	Daily	1:45 a. m.
5	Daily Limited	3:00 a. m.
39	Daily Except Sunday	9:28 a. m.
23	Daily, no coaches	10:23 a. m.
9	Daily	2:40 p. m.
35	Daily to St. Louis	5:05 p. m.

J. W. REED, Agent.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect January 31, 1904:

No.	Going South.	
1	Daily ex. Sunday	2:25 pm
3	Daily ex. Sunday	6:00 am
31	Sunday only	2:25 pm
	Going North.	
3	Daily ex. Sunday	10:55 am
4	Daily ex. Sunday, ar	3:25 pm
32	Sunday only, ar	10:55 am

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, O.

Trains oNs. 3 and 4 between Lima Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 31 and 32 run Sunday only, between Lima, O. and Bainbridge, Ohio.

L. E. & W. R. R.

No.	West.	
1	Daily, leaves	9:55 a.m.
5	Daily, leaves	4:28 p.m.
3	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	[illegible]
7	Daily ex. Sunday, arrives	8:15 p.m.
	East.	
2	Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	2:00 a.m.
4	Daily, leaves	12:50 p.m.
6	Daily, leaves	[illegible]

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State Convention Saw Gathering of Notable Women Who Reported Great Advancement Along All Lines.

Report of the 31st annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Ohio, held in the Board of Trade auditorium, Columbus, Ohio, October 19, 20, and 21, 1904:

This state convention reported a large membership gain and the most encouraging progress. Upward of six hundred delegates and visitors were registered. The roll call and the responses of county presidents indicated large gains., and better work done on all lines than ever before, showing a continued loyalty to the principles of the W. C. T. U. and emphasizing the importance of press work that tells the world what we plan to do. This department of work is of blessed interest to those who labor in it and who can give it their best thought and most earnest endeavor, and through this department in the field from the local, county, state, national and world's superintendent of press work, temperance sentiment is greatly advanced. The American people are the greatest readers in the world, and it is through the press that the people are in touch with what is going on. Hence the W. C. T. U. in this way is reaching the masses in educating and agitating on temperance reform, that could not be reached in other ways.

The guests and speakers for the Ohio state convention were Mrs. Mary M. Hunt, director of the bureau of scientific investigation, and world and national superintendent of scientific temperance instruction; Mrs. C. Burnett Haney, vice president, of Florida W. C. T. U; Mrs. Margaret Wintringer, editor, "Young Crusader,' Illinois, and our own Mrs. Viola D Romans, national lecturer, Cambridge Ohio, and Mrs. Florence D. Richards, Leipsic, Ohio.

Mrs Emma Spencer Townsend, of the Christian Citizenship department gave a fine report of work done in civic righteousness the last year, and recommended that libraries be established in this department; also Christian citizenship leagues and lecture courses. The superintendent, Mrs. Townsend, has compiled quite a large volume of her own on Christian Citizenship, and many of her topics under this head will be used for contest work. The state superintendent on the anti-narcotic department reported thousands of pledges taken and 47,000 pages of literature distributed. Mrs. I Frank Smith, state superintendent of scientific temperance instruction in the public schools reported this year the most successful yet and told of the brave work that had been done to get proper temperance teachers and teaching in the schools. In her correspondence with the county superintendents, the county school examiners of the state, and the members of the school boards in large towns and citizens, she said she seldom found anyone who was not willing to adopt the New Century series recommended by the W. C. T. U. There was only one in Lima that objected out of the present board of 14. Our state superintendent was complimented very much by Mrs. Hunt, the national and world's superintendent, because of her having for free distribution to every county president, and delegates, the forty-ninth annual report of the state school commissioners of common schools to the governor of the state of Ohio, for the year ending August 31st, 1902, by Lewis D. Bonebrake, then state commissioner of common schools in which there are 24 pages devoted to the syllabies on physiology and scientific temperance.

Mrs Fanny A. Drummond, the state superintendent of literature, reported 3,500,000 pages of literature distributed throughout the state during the year.

Miss Della Mae Connet, state superintendent of physical education, gave an excellent report of the year's work, which was followed by our own beloved Francis W. Leiter, national superintendent, who illustrated by a practical and restful exercise what physical education would do for tired, nervous women.

Youthful New Member.

Mrs. Emma L. Bowman, the superintendent of contests, was called. She advanced on the platform accompanied by the superintendent of mothers' department, who carried a very choice package cautiously in her arms. The audience applauded, but President Clark waved an emphatic hush, saying, "You will awaken her."

The president then proceeded to tie the white ribbon on the arm of the wee Pauline Willa Bowman, who still slept in the arms of Mrs. Jennie White Smith while the mother proceeded to report 201 contests in the state during the year with financial profit of $1725.

The banner for the best contest work was awarded to Wood county.

During the closing of the youthful new member's introduction to the audience our distinguished guest, Mary M. Hunt, was reverently led to the platform, and heartily given the Chautauqua salute and introduced. She responded with a few words including the statement that the new born Pauline Bowman, would live to see the complete victory over alcohol and its ruinous work.

Mrs. Burnet Haney, state vice president of Florado W. C T U was introduced and told of 32 dry counties of 4 in Florida, and that the W. C T U did their own work as there was no anti-saloon league to help them. Our state superintendent of legislative work and her associate gave an interesting, instructive and amusing account as well, of their work in the Ohio legislature the last winter on 'Women voting on equal terms with men,' and the Brannock residential local option bill. They said whatever merit there was in the Brannock bill was due to the members of the legislature. The efforts of Governor Herrick to weaken the bill in the interests of the liquor parties was given in detail and the just criticism he deserved which only an intelligent, cultured Christian white ribboner could do. Fine reports were given of the villages, towns, cities and counties going dry under the Beal or Brannock local option bills. The three dry counties, 473 villages, and 1,000 townships were owing largely to their sowing, and the residential sections in our great cities, covering a population of over 200,000, where the saloon is outlawed, were through the efforts of the anti-saloon league, and the prayers and influence of the W. C. T. U., so that today about 70 per cent of the territory of the state has outlawed the liquor traffic. The local option movement seems to be the rallying point for sustained effort against the saloon. Governor Herrick was scored by these elect women in the following declaration:

"We unite with the churches and all temperance organizations in condemning the action of the governor of the state in unduly wielding his veto power to cripple temperance legislation, and we protest against his renomination."

The state president's annual address was on able document as usual, rejoicing in the progress of the past year, and that with large hope and courage she was looking forward to the yet greater victories and greater possibilities in store for the beloved state of Ohio in her love for humanity, the main spring of our activities.

Mrs. Clark spoke of the contending forces that have warred since the boy Christ was in the temple through the time that the image makers feared that Paul's doctrine would damage their trade, and which still goes on by those who fight—long and well whether to lose or win.

She said we have been called of God to be truth bearer along new lines, mentioning the opposition to the double standard of virtue, the giving to the worldwide rising generation, the scientific truths concerning alcohol and added the decision of courts in favor of this movement.

Mrs Effie Bartnolf, of Toledo, who was one of the county instructors, and singers at the county institute of the W. C. T. U. in Lima last April, also one of the state trustees and musical directors, was absent from the convention on account of the sudden death of her husband. Telegams and letters of sympathy were sent to her and her daughter. Her wise counsel and her voice were greatly missed at the convention.

On Wednesday evening of the convention Mrs. Mary Hunt spoke to a large audience in the board of trade, on her world's work, scientific temperance teaching, and especially of her work in the Bremen Non-alcoholic Congress, and her visit to the empress in response to urgent invitation. She spoke at length on the grand results to which scientific temperance has contributed. Again in this decade of the average length of life, especially in the United States, the smallest per capita consumption of alcholic drinks, the sobriety of the American workman is one of the important results of this department of education in teaching that alcoholic drinks impaid working ability. Nearly 1,000,000 railroad men on 200,000 miles of track in the United States are regarded to be total abstainers. The cigarette habit has been largely prevented through the definite instruction against it in the primary school years, as well as in more advanced grades, realizing that the formation of bad habits is much easier than reformation.

Among other things Mrs. Hunt said: Dr. Benjamin Ward Richardson, of London, pronounced alcohol as "Satan in solution." Imagine the woman who is inseparably bound to the man who is in its power, and sees her ideal of perfect manhood go gradually down to degradation and brutality, while she suffers his cruelty and neglect which nothing but death prevents.

There is no safety except in total abstainance, for alcohol has the power of destroying the strong will power of which men boast, by the use of which they can drink or let it alone.

But the horrors of the drunken life is but a small part of the misery produced by liquor, for its effect are visited on unborn generations. Dr Fovel of Germany explains that alcohol deteriorates the offspring, producing general feebleness of body and mind, dwarfishness, idiocy, epilepsy drunkard's appetite and defective moral sense.

The nation's defense is not so much armies and navies as perfect manhood and solid character.

The same race of people who destroyed ancient Rome are pouring on us by millions, and we give them the power of ballot to govern us. They must be educated for temperance, or they will be as a millstone tied around our neck.

We must educate the majority and the majority of the children can only be reached in the lower grades of our schools.

The sons of the German empress are now studying our New Century series of temperance textbooks, while Scotland, England, France and Sweden are seeking similar aid from America.

Miss Margaret Winteringer, of Chicago, Illinois, editor of the new 'Crusader", gave an interesting chalk talk on liquor and tobacco Miss Winnifried Edwards, with a large group of Front street children, gave a model scientific temperance instruction, including the formation of alcohol, from sugar and starch, and the effect on the stomach, brain and liver. A vote of thanks was extended Miss Edwards, and her well trained children, and the state superintendent of flower missions, work sent them flowers in abudance.

Mrs. White, of Columbus, the state superintendent of the mothers' and cradle rool department, gave a fine report of the year's work. Mrs. Smith's manner is especially adopted to her department of work. She has such a great motherly heart, who loves the mothers who take the total abstainence pledge for themselves, and the mothers who dedicate their children to the cause of temperance, by taking a pledge for their children, and through this they have thoroughly equipped methods like unto the cradle rool and home department of the Sunday school. There is a definite teaching that makes in the future better fathers and mothers. This department, as well as other departments, has its own literature and periodicals, including all of Dr. Mary Wood Allen's text books, and the monthly "American Motherhood" and in addition prescribed books for the study course, namely: 'Baby's First," "The Story of the Mind," 'A Year With Mother Play," "Marvels of Our Bodily Dwelling, "Love and Law,' 'A Study of Child Nature," etc. The W. C. T. U. judges the character of the motherhood in a great measure by the kind of literature and books that are read in the home. Good and bad literature leaves its impression with children which are so sensitive to every touch, which either mars the whole life and which never can be entirely eradicated, or a touch that will in the future manhood or womanhood be felt for nobleness of character. The W. C. T. U. is the organized motherhood and the organized mother love, and in this converge all soul possibilities, and in it lie the virtue and vices of the race.

In fact the W. C. T U can be called a mother's congress not only at the annual gathering, but an every day congress helping to solve the problems of the home, and all of its responsibilities to the home society and to the state also, the co-operation of home, school and church.

The state superintendent of purity in art and in literature report a year of great success, being instrumental in getting indecent pictures and indecent literature removed from public places, and some times they found the impure in the hands of the school boys and girls that had wedged their way into school rooms secretly, and in their stead the best of books and literature had been placed in the railroads depots, on ship board, in all kinds of waiting rooms, barber shops, in Sunday schools, in established and circulating libraries.

Many letters of greeting were sent to the convention, and a very large delegation from the divines of Columbus and adjoining towns come with them.

Mr. Brockney, representative of the labor union temperance society, spoke on the uplifting tendency of organized labor and emphasized the statement as follows: "That organized labor has other purposes than strikes and said that many temperance people are included in the ranks who intend to assert themselves toward putting all liquor out of their ranks.

Many liquor employes are included among them, because they are laborers and need benefits; the brewery workers, formerly having such long hours that they stimulated freely with a view to keeping up their strength, and the amount of drunkenness decreasing with shorter hours.

Saloons Tools of Breweries.

He said that the saloonkeeper is but the tool of the brewery. Formerly the saloonkeeper, before starting in a locality, consulted the desires of the people, but now the brewer forces in his shops regardless of the people and proceeds to draw in his custom by studied processes, and is growing bolder and bolder, even wishing children to be taught that beer is good for them, while nations who have been noted for beer are now abandoning it.

The other three speakers talked to the proposition, "How I Would Abolish the Liquor Traffic." They were agreed that it must be done by vote and by educating the voters and, in the main, favored adding the vote of women.

Agitation to Aggravation.

Rev. Mr. Baker said this work could not be done by any one society, but by the union of all good people, as the good people of all organizations have done what has been accomplished. He urged "education, agitation, education agitation, even to aggravation", thanked the W. C. T. U. that "they wouldn't let us sleep when we wanted to," and said the way to finish the work is by more of them keeping eternally at it.

Mr McCartney said that the citizenship must be called on to change the general attitude of the government and citizenship must become Christian more than six miles square; that the Anti-Saloon league will soon be with his party completely, and that while his party has been standing for principle alone, they are going to begin running for office also.

Voter and Drunkard.

Mrs. Florence D Richards gave Sam Jones' series of links between the drunkard and the voter; the drunkard produced by the saloon, the saloon by law, the law by legislature, and legislature by the voter, and the deacon a voter.

The drunkard is asked where he will go when he died, and he answers according to established orthodoxy. The deacon is asked the same and says, "I am on the road to heaven."

She asked for the enfranchisement of women to prevent the election of corrupt legislators and governors On one side Mrs. Richards arrayed the criminal, the drunkard, the brewer, the saloonkeeper, on the other the church with four women to one voter.

Fifty-one county presidents were introduced to the convention by the state president, each having one minute to talk of their county work, which to the large audience, was spicy and instructive.

A very encouraging report of rescue work was given by the state superintendent, the number of rescue homes the numbe of reading and rest rooms and libraries in the several towns and cities where many of the erring girls had gone forth to lead pure lives, and to demonstrate that trust in divine grace was the basis of all true reform connected with the belief in intelligence as an aid to progress

Non-alcoholic medication, by state superintendent, had received much attention during the year, and the patent medicine fraud was well considered. Other departments of work equally as important for want of time and space, can not be reported.

There is no problem in America today that calls for more careful thought, broader leadership, and steadfast independence than the overthrow of the liquor traffic, and there is no organization like the W. C T U. that knows the strongholds and influence of the liquor traffic from the brewers' association down to the First and Last Chance. (To be continued.)

MARY E. MEHAFFEY.

It is just a common cold, people say, there's no danger in that. Admitting their statement, then there are *uncommon* colds, colds which are dangerous; for many a fatal sickness begins with a cold. If we could tell the common cold from the uncommon we could *feel* quite safe. But we can't. The uncommon variety is rarely recognized until it has fastened its hold on the lungs, and there are symptoms of consumption.

At the first symptoms the careful person will heed the warning by taking a mild laxative; some vegetable pill that will not disturb the system or cause griping. About the best is "Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets." If the cold starts with a cough and it persists then some local treatment for this condition should be taken. A well known alterative extract, which has been highly recommended by thousands of users, is Dr Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This tonic compound is composed of an extract of roots and herbs and has a soothing effect upon the mucous membrane, allays the irritation and at the same time works in the proper and reasonable way, at the seat of the trouble—the stagnated or poisoned blood.

It contains no alcohol to shrivel up the blood corpuscles, but makes pure rich red blood.

Dr. Pierce's 1000-page illustrated book, "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is sent free in paper covers on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay cost of mailing *only*. For 31 stamps the cloth-bound volume will be sent. 1008 pages. It was formerly sold for $1.50 per copy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—There are but few wives and mothers who have not at times endured agonies and such pain as only women know. I wish such women knew the value of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.** It is a remarkable medicine, different in action from any I ever knew and thoroughly reliable.

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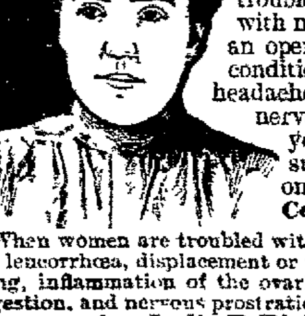
Mrs. Reed, 2425 E. Cumberland St., Philadelphia, Pa., says:



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to write and tell you the good I have received from **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

"I have been a great sufferer with female trouble, trying different doctors and medicines with no benefit. Two years ago I went under an operation, and it left me in a very weak condition. I had stomach trouble, backache, headache, palpitation of the heart, and was very nervous; in fact, I ached all over. I find yours is the only medicine that reaches such troubles, and would cheerfully recommend **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** to all suffering women."

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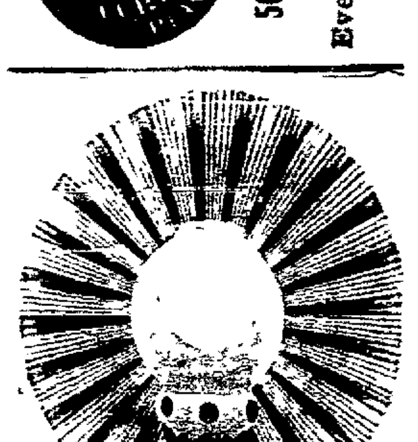

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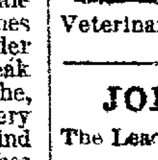

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Sally O. Ashton, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Sally O. Ashton, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 5th day of November, A. D. 1904.

Theodore D. Robb, Administrator.
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To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months.' Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's.

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BANK DRAGS INTO COURT

Another Local Concern, Closely Associated in Its Dealings.

Buckeye Printing and Supply Co. Is Named as Defendant in an Action for Money and Appointment of Receiver.

The day at the court house opened unpromising enough so far as avenues of news were concerned, the offices as has been the custom being closed the greater part of the day on account of the election.

There was a ripple of interest in matters legal directly after the noon hour, however, which resurrects the history of the failure of the Lima Savings Bank and Trust Company, and adds a chapter which introduces another local concern as directly interested in the collapse.

A petition filed by Attorney Kent Hughes, on behalf of the National Blank Book Co. names the Buckeye Printing & Supply Co. as defendant against a judgment for $1,189 18. Behind the claim, however, is the demand for expedient action in the process of collection by the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the Buckeye Printing Co's affairs, it being alleged in the petition that the concern is insolvent, and in immediate danger of going o the wall. The further charge is made that the defendant is attempting to dispose of its property for less than its true value with the evident intention of defrauding its creditors.

With those statements presented the plaintiff asks for a judgment against the defendant for the amount named and the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the property, funds and assets.

Behind the petition and within the knowledge of the attorney bringing the suit, is the fact that the Buckeye Printing Co. is involved to a considerable extent with the Lima Savings Bank and Trust Co., the statement being made today that the defendant in the suit just filed has overdrawn from the bank the somewhat astonishing the sum of $13,000.

Mr. Leighton, who was president of the bank, is also president of the Buckeye Printing & Supply Co., and the failure of the one seems to have been the cause of dragging the other to the brink of insolvency. The situation starts anew the inquiry which questioned the means and methods of the bank and gradually piles up evidence of careless management on the part of its officials.

WHISKEY PRICE DEMORALIZED.

Trust Has Cut Price to $1.23, in Its War to Crush Out Independents.

Peoria, Ills., Nov. 8.—The whisky market is demoralized as a result of the war between the independents and the trust. Despite the action of the independents yesterday in declaring $1.24 as a bedrock basing price for finished goods, the trust is offering and selling thousands of barrels at $1.23.

The refusal of the board of trade authorities to allow the trust to poet the price at $1.23 forced the trust to take action to protect itself, and 10,000 postal cards were sent out notifying the trade that the trust houses all over the United States will fill all orders at once on a basis of $1.23. The influx of orders for the past few days has been immense and the reserve stocks are being rapidly depleted.

BEGIN TONIGHT.

Evangelistic meetings of the Gospel Tabernacle commences this evening and will continue until Friday evening. All are welcome. Tabernacle located on south Main street, near the bridge.

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Bleached Damask, 72 inches wide, especially good, at ***$1.00.*** Napkins to match, ¾ size, at ***$3.25*** and ***$3.50*** the dozen.

Fancy Hucks, floral designs, special bargain, 22 inches at ***40c.***

25 inches at ***50c*** and ***60c.***

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EXPLOSION

The Force of Which Shook the City

Occurred In Detroit Southern Yards, Today.

Engine Blew Off Its Dome Cap and Hurled It a Distance of Two Hundred Yards—No One Was Injured.

About 5 o'clock this morning, scores of citizens who were not yet out of their beds, were rudely awakened by the heavy report of an explosion, the force of which was felt distinctly throughout the east end of the city. Many thought there was another nitro-glycerine disaster, and soon a wild rumor was being circulated that an engine on the Detroit Southern railroad had blown up and that four persons had been killed

An investigation made by the Times-Democrat proved the explosion to have been far less serious than reported, a Detroit Southern road engine having only blown off its dome-cap, injuring no one.

The engine was No. 34 and was in charge of engineer Ollie Tremp and fireman Al. Sells, of Springfield. They were turning the engine on a "Y" when the dome cap let go. The cap, a heavy casting, was hurled about 200 feet in the air and landed about 200 yards from the engine.

No matter how long you have had the cough; if it hasn't already developed into consumption, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure it.

COLUMBUS EXCURSION SUNDAY, NOV. 13TH, VIA. T. & O. C. RY.

Excursion rates from St. Marys and intermediate stations. 21-3t-eod-2twl

Makes children eat, sleep and grow. Makes mother strong and vigorous. Makes a healthy family. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H .F. Vortkamp.

OPERATIVES MUST ACCEPT

Reduction If They Desire To Return to Work in Cotton Mills District.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 8.—The cotton manufacturers of this city, whose mills have been idle since July, on account of a strike of their employees, over a 12½ per cent. reduction in wages, today voted to open their plants to such operatives as desired to resume work under the reduction. The vote to reopen the mills was taken after the manufacturers had rejected a proposition of the operatives to return pending action by an arbitration committee under the old rate of wages.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE ON ERIE RAILROAD.

On Sunday, November 6th, train No 48 will be taken off and a new train from Chicago to Buffalo will be due at Lima at 10:52 p. m. Slight changes are made in trains 4, 14, 7, 9 and 13. 2-3t

GAVE

Former Superior and His Wife

Diamond Rings

As Tokens of Esteem and Respect.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White Surprised by L. E. & W. Employes.

Presentation Address Was Made by Traveling Engineer Potter—Mr. and Mrs. White Both Replied—Railroad News.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. W. W. White, who, on the first of this month, retired from the office of master mechanic of the L. E. & W., and Mrs. White were summoned into the carpenter department of the L. E. & W. shops, and upon entering the building they were suddenly surrounded by the employes of every department that had been under Mr. White's jurisdiction. Traveling Engineer Potter stepped forward from the circle of shops and engine men and in a very cleverly-worded address presented Mr. and Mrs. White each with a handsome and costly diamond ring which were given by the employes of the shops and motive power department as tokens of respect and esteem.

Mr. Potter said:

Mr. White. I have been selected by the committee which was appointed at a meeting held by the various foremen a short time after your resignation was tendered, to present you with a small token of our regard and esteem. This selection was not made with any regard for the eternal fitness of things but because I am considered the windiest man on the road.

I am not prepared to make a long and flowery speech, but believe me I voice the sentiments of every employee of the mechanical department of the L. E. & W., especially those who have contributed to make the presentation possible, that it is their desire that their acquaintance and friendship, began four and one-half years ago when you took charge here as master mechanic, may continue in an unbroken and never ending circle of which this ring is emblematical and all sincerely regret your leaving the service. I now present you this ring and assure you that the best wishes of all the employes of the mechanical department accompany the token.

And now just to prove that we never do things by halves, and that we never forget the ladies, God bless them, because we couldn't get along without them, I present Mrs. White with this token of regard and esteem and with it the best wishes of the employes of the mechanical department of the L. E. & W.

Mr. White in reply, said:

Gentlemen:—I hardly know how to express my thanks to you for this fine and valuable ring which you have presented to me You have taken me by surprise and put me up against the "windiest man on the road, which I think is hardly fair."

A meeting of this kind is something very much out of the ordinary, and is an hundred fold pleasure to me.

Meetings between master mechanics and employees are usually grievance committees when both parties are ready to fight but now all differences which have arisen in the past four and one-half years have been agreeably adjusted and settled beyond dispute. This token to my hand assures me that there must be a kindly feeling existing between employer and employee. But truly where so little friction has taken place it shows that the master mechanic himself must be a pretty good man and has also had the loyal support of the men working under him.

I wish to thank you all for this present and assure you that I shall always have a warm place in my heart for all of the men of the mechanical department of the Lake Erie and Western.

Both Mr. and Mrs. White were thoroughly surprised and equally pleased. Mrs. White spoke to the men thanking them sincerely for the tokens of regard.

Caboose Can be Residence.

One of the oddest cases ever before an election board was on hearing Saturday in Chicago. James Gillespie had registered from a railroad car situated on a side track, and the board of revision struck his name from the pollbook on the ground that a car cannot be a permanent residence under the law Attorney Wheelock's opinion was that Gillespie was improperly registered and the railroad man appealed the case to the county court.

When Judge Carter took the matter up Gillespie explained that he was working on the tracks and boarded at the caboose, which had been switched near the scene of operations. The examination showed that the side track was cut off from the main line, so at present it is impossible to move the car.

Judge Carter held that under the circumstances the car was "a permanent residence,' and Gillespie's name was restored to the voting list.

Wreck on C., H. & D.

Mistaking a "stop' signal for a 'slow" signal, Engineer John Strode, in charge of an inbound passenger train on the C., H. & D. road, struck a box car standing near the Carthage Depot at 6 o'clock last night. The car had been left on the siding and was protected by the flag signal the engineer failed to interpret correctly. The box car was thrown from the track and badly wrecked, while the pilot of the engine was broken off. Engineer Strode, who was injured by jumping from his engine, was taken to his home in Hamilton.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Zimmerman's Denial.

A dispatch from New York says: "Mr Eugene Zimmerman reached New York this morning and is at the Lotus Club. He was seen tonight regarding a report from the West that the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad was very likely to be purchased by the Erie railroad management Mr Zimmerman said:

"There is absolutely no truth in such reports. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton system contols 4,000 miles of railroad I cannot see how 4,000 miles of road could buy 4,000. No offer has been made for a purchase We are looking for none We are going to work out our own salvation without the assistance of the Erie. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton has $8,000,000 of common stock. The Erie has over $150,000,000 controlling 3,000 miles of roadway. Would it look like a business proposition for us to be controlled by them? It seems to me the shoe ought to be on the other foot You remember that when all the reports were lying about that the Pere Marquette would control the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, that you said it would not"

There is considerable speculation as to what will become of the Erie. The best judgment is that it will be controlled by the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and Pere Marquette system.

Mr. Zimmerman was asked regarding this He said:

"The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton will stand pat."

Further than that he would not say.

Both Legs Crushed.

Another Pennsylvania brakeman was maimed for life Saturday at Fort Wayne. Harry Smith, 22 years old, fell from the top of a car and the wheels passed over both legs below the knees, necessitating amputation. The operation was successful and it is said he will recover. Smith has a young wife and 17 months old child.

Steel Postal Car.

The Standard Steel Car company, which has completed an all metal car designed for use in the postal service, hopes to enlarge the scope of steel cars until they replace Pullmans, baggage, mail, express and day coaches on many roads.

In this new use of steel, interests identified with the Standard Steel company hope to create an industry of magnitude, and while the practical efficiency of steel passenger train equipment is yet to be demonstrated thoroughly, they believe the outcome is certain to be successful.

The steel postal car constructed by the Standard, and from which so much is expected in the way of creating business, is up to master car builders' specifications, and if it stands the test of actual hard service, is the forerunner of many more of its type

The cost of steel cars is said to be in excess of the wooden ones, but not so much higher that the cost could be regarded as prohibitive.

C. D. Whitney, who was formerly here with the Ohio Southern, and went to the Clover Leaf with President Norton, has taken a position with a New York banking house.

To Try Steel Ties.

The Lake Shore has placed a heavy order for steel crossties and will lay them in its tracks instead of the wooden crossties that have been used since the beginning of railroading. It has not been decided where these ties will be placed, but it is understood they will be first tried on the eastern division, probably in the vicinity of Buffalo. The Lake Shore engineering department is said to look with favor on this innovation in railroad construction, and will give the steel ties an exhaustive test.

The order which the Lake Shore has filed calls for 7000 ties, a part of them going to the New York Central. These 7000 ties are sufficient to supply nearly three miles of track. If the experiment proves satisfactory the road will be gradually equipped with them.

DAUGHTER

Of Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter Passes to Rest.

Death Due to Tuberculosis, a Disease From Which a Sister of the Deceased is Ill.

Miss Ella Baxter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Baxter, died at the home of her parents, eight miles west of this city, at 5 o'clock last evening, death resulting from tuberculosis, after an illness of ten years duration The deceased was born in Allen county on November 19, 1874, and lived to the age of nearly 30 years. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs David Baxter, who were formerly superintendent and matron respectively, of the county infirmary, and is also survived by one brother, Jacob Baxter and three sisters. The latter are Mrs. Jacob Barnes, of Delphos, Mrs. Chas Cantieny, of this city, and Mrs Harry Osman, residing at the home of the parents. Mrs. Osman is also hopelessly ill, suffering from the same dreaded disease which caused the death of Miss Ella Baxter.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. J. M. Mills, at the Baxter residence, at 10 o'clock (sun time) Thursday morning and interment will be made in the Allentown cemetery.

Lima Lodge No. 205 F. & A. M., elected the following officers for the ensuing year last evening:

Henry C. Seebers, W. Master; Evan L Thomas, Sr. Warden; Dominick R Cantieny, Jr. Warden; Louis Fall, treasurer; Wallace Landis, Secretary; Howard A. Graham, Sr. Deacon; J Sidney Patton, Jr. Deacon; John W Crum, Tyler; James P. Beckley Trustee, three years. Installation of officers next stated communication, November 21st, 1904

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SEASON SEEMS OPEN FOR THEFT.

Ten Burglaries Have Been Committed in Columbus Since Last Saturday Night.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—The season seems open in Columbus for the burglar, the porch climber and the key worker. Despite the increased efforts of the police, since Saturday night's record of 10 burglaries, the work continues and a dozen cases were reported last night. Police Chief O'Conner has appealed to the public to assist the force in locating the offenders by promptly reporting to headquarters, the whereabouts of any mysterious night prowlers, while Detective Chief Duncan says the situation is no more than he had predicted weeks ago.

O. E. S.

Regular meeting of Trinity Chapter Nov. 16, O. E. S., this evening at 7.30 o'clock sharp. Election of officers. Members holding chapter property please return to the desk.

Matilda Bowsar, W. M.
Annie Clizbe, Secy.

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